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Cornwall Monday 20th Janz. 1868 at Noon
1st Meeting of New Council

Present The Mayor the Reeve and Councillors Mattice, Craig, Hodge, Hessel, Atchison, Mack, Mc Millan & Hunter & McRae

Filing Declarations of Office &c.

The Mayor, the Reeve and Councillors Craig, Atchison & Millan having filed the necessary ~~Oaths~~ declarations of Office and of Qualification took their seats at the Council Board.

Appointment of Clerk

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Councillor Hodge that D. Monroe be appointed Town Clerk for the ensuing year at the same Salary viz. $50 00 Carried

Treasurer not to pay discount on Silver

Moved by Councillor Hodge seconded by the Reeve that the Treasurer be instructed and is hereby instructed not to pay discount on Silver to any Creditor or any of the Officers or Employees of the Corporation or for any Services Rendered the Corporation; and that any current money which may come into his hands shall be Retained until Specially ordered by an order from this Council, and that the Clerk do send a Copy of this resolution to the Treasurer.

Carried

Appointment of

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Councillor Atchison that Robt W. Mc Farlane Esqr. be appointed Auditor for the current year

Carried

Auditors

The Mayor named John Carr Esqr. as Auditor for the current year.

Appointment of License Inspector

Moved by Councillor Mack seconded by the Reeve that Peter Gillies Esqr. be appointed License Inspector for the current year at a Salary of Ten dollars

Carried

By Laws for Appointing Clerk, Auditors & Licence Inspector

Moved by Councillor McMillan seconded by Councillor Mattice that the By Laws for the Appointments of Clerk, Auditors & Licence Inspector be Read a 1st time

Carried

By Laws were read a 1st time

Reading By Laws 1st 2nd & 3rd time

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Councillor Atchison that the foregoing By Laws be Read a 2nd and third time Passed and Signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any Rule or Ordinance to the Contrary

Carried

The By Laws were Read a 2nd & 3rd time Passed and Signed by the Mayor

Appointment of High Constable

Moved by Councillor McMillan seconded by Councillor Hunter that Wm Samuel Pollock be appointed High Constable for the Ensuing Year at a Salary of $250 dollars per Annum

Moved in Amendment by the Reeve seconded by Councillor Craig that Wm John Skeith be appointed High Constable, Street-Surveyor, Market-Clerk, Town Property and Town Hall guardian, Inspector of Weights and Measures and general Servant of the Corporation; (it being understood that the whole time of the Party appointed shall be at the disposal of the Corporation) at ~~the Salary~~ rate of Two Hundred dollars ($200) and the Constable's Fees per Annum to be paid monthly, and that said Appointment be during the pleasure of this Council.

Amendment Carried.

By Laws for

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Councillor Hodge that the By Law for the Appointment of High Constable &c, &c, &c, be now Read a 1st time.

Carried

By Laws were Read a 1st time

Appointing High Constable read passed and Signed

Moved by Councillor Hodge seconded by Councillor Craig that the By Law for the appointment of High Constable &c, &c, &c, be now read a 2nd & 3rd time passed and signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any Rule or Ordinance to the Contrary

Carried

The By Law was accordingly Read a 2nd & 3rd time passed and signed by the Mayor

Notice of Motion

The Reeve gave notice that he would at the next meeting of Council introduce a By Law Licencing & regulating Cartmen & Livery Stable Keepers

The Council then adjourned until Monday next 27th inst at half past seven O. Clock.

D. Monroe
Clerk

Approved
Wm. B. Allen. Mayor

Cornwall Monday Janry. 27th 1868

Regular Meeting

No business transacted

Present The Mayor the Reeve and Councillors Mattice, Hodge, Hunter Mc Millan & Hesse.

The Council further adjourned until this night fortnight Monday 10th Prox. at half past 7 O. Clock

D. Monroe
Clerk

Approved
Wm. B. Allen.
Mayor.

Cornwall February 18th 1868

No Meeting for want of a quorum

D. Monroe
Clerk

Cornwall Monday Feby. 17th 1868

— A —

Special meeting called by the Mayor for the transaction of General business.

Present His Worship the Mayor the Reeve Councillors Mattice, Hodge, Mack, Craig, McPhee Hunter & McMillan

Minutes of former meeting Read and Approved

Geo. S. Jarvis Jr. appointed Auditor in stead of R.W. Macfarlane Esq

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Councillor Mack that Geo. S. Jarvis Esqr. be appointed Auditor for the Current year in the Stead of R. W. Macfarlane Esqr. who was previously appointed, ~~at last meeting~~ but Refuses to act on account of being unable to make the necessary declaration

Carried

Road Committee

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Councillor Craig that Councillors Mattice, McMillan, Hodge Atchison and the Mover be appointed a Road Committee for the Current Year

Carried

Payment of Accounts

Moved by Councillor Mattice seconded by Councillor Craig that the following Accounts be paid viz.

John McKeith	for 2 Loads Wood for Town Hall	$6.75
do.	do. for burying Mr Wright	1.25
Angus Talbot	Use of Shop for Election purposes	6.00
Samuel Cline	for Coal Oil for Toll Gate for 66/67	1.50

Carried

School Estimate

A Resolution from the School Trustees asking the Council for an Order on the Treasurer for the sum of $15-50 cts being Amount of their School Estimate for the Current Year, was read and laid aside for after Consideration

The Council then adjourned untill Friday Evg. ~~next~~ the 28th inst.

D. Monroe Clerk

Approved

Wm. C. Allen. Mayor.

Cornwall Friday 28th Feby. 1868

— Regular Meeting —

Present - His Worship the Mayor the Reeve & Councillors Craig, Hodge, Mack, Mc Millan Atchison, Mc Rae, & Hunter.

Minutes of former meeting read and approved.

Aid asked for building Bridge across Frys Creek

A hearing was given to the Reeve of Charlottenburg who was present asking this Council for aid to assist in building a bridge across Frys Creek.

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Councillor Mack that the question of giving assistance to the Council of Charlottenburg for the purpose of building a bridge across Frys Creek, be referred to the Finance Committee

Carried

Licence granted to Michael Mc Onnery

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Councillor Atchison that a Tavern Licence be granted to Mr Michael Mc Onnery

Carried

Wm Warrington

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Councillor Hunter that a Tavern Licence be granted to Mr William Warrington

Carried

Thomas Dunkin,

Moved by Councillor Atchison seconded by Councillor Craig that a Tavern Licence be granted to Mr Thomas Dunkin.

Carried

H Evans H Esplenaw

Moved by Councillor Mc Millan seconded by Councillor Hunter that a Tavern Licence be granted to Mr H. A. H Esplenaw.

Carried

Adam Wagner

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Councillor Hunter that a Tavern License be granted to Mr Adam Wagner.

Carried

John Broderick

Moved by Councillor Hunter seconded by Coun. Mc Millan that a Tavern License be granted to John Broderick.

~~Carried~~

Moved in amendment by the Reeve seconded by Councillor Craig that a Tavern License be granted to Donald Campbell

Lost

Original Motion Carried

Donald Campbell

Moved by Councillor Craig seconded by Councillor Hunter that a Tavern License be granted to Mr Donald Campbell

Carried

Appointment of Assessor

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Councillor Mc Rae that John S. Bruce Esqr. be appointed Assessor for the Town of Cornwall for the Present Year at a Salary of Sixty dollars in Silver.

Carried

1st Reading of By Laws

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Coun. Craig that the By Laws for the appointment of Auditor and Assessor be now read a first time

Carried

By Laws were read a first time

Appointing an Auditor & Assessor

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Councillor Craig that the By Laws for the appointment of Auditor and Assessor be now read a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor, notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the Contrary

Carried

2nd & 3rd Reading of By Laws

The By Laws were accordingly Read a Second and third time Passed and Signed by the Mayor

Payment of Accounts

Moved by the Reeve Seconded by Councillor Mc Millan that the following accounts be Paid viz.

John Skeith for 1 Mon. Salary		$16.67
Do. do. for Pickets & Wood for Hall		4.86½
Jas. C. Johnstone for 8 days work at Hall	1st	12.00
Henry Crawford for drawing 20 yds. Stone	37½	7.50
P.E. Adams for Nails, Stationary &c		22.35
Do. do. " Bread furnished Paupers		8.99
Mrs. Doctor Macdonald Money given to Poor		6.00

Carried

The Council then adjourned until Monday the 9th of March at 7½ O. Clock P. M.

Approved

D. Monroe
Clerk

Wm C Allen
Mayor.

Cornwall Monday March 9th 1868

— Regular Meeting —

Present - The Mayor, the Reeve and Councillors Mattice, Hodge, Hunter, Mack, Atchison, Mc Millan, McRae & Craig.

Minutes of former meeting Read & Approved.

Mayor to prosecute the Bonds of Liquor Sellers

Moved by Coun. Hodge Sec. by Coun. Mattice that the Mayor be authorized to prosecute the bonds of any Party or parties Selling liquor Contrary to the By Laws of this Corporation

Carried

$30. granted to Eliza Anderson and heirs

Moved by the Reeve Sec. by Coun. Mack that the Sum of Thirty dollars be appropriated for the benifit of Eliza Anderson and

and her sisters two children.

Carried

Financee Committee

Moved by Comn. Mattice Sec. by the Reeve that Comn. Mack, Hunter, & the Mayor be a Finance Committee for the Current year.

Carried

Privilege of building a Stone House granted to A. P. Rose for 1868, 1869 & 1870

Moved by the Reeve Seconded by Councillor Mack that the privilege of placing a Stone House on the River Wharf in front of the Town, be granted to Mr A. P. Rose for a period of three ~~years~~ Navigation Seasons viz. 1868, 1869 & 1870 and no longer, at the rate of Ten Dollars for Each and Every Season, payable on the 1st day of October in Each and Every year; the said A. P. Rose binding himself to adhere and abide by such Tariff & rates of Charge for Storage as may already be in Existence, or which may subsequently be passed by this Council; the position of the Stone House to be subject to the direction of the Committee on Town Property.

Carried

Saloon Licenses and Billiard Room Licenses

Moved by Councillor Hunter Sec. by Comn. Craig that a Licence Each be granted to J. Lewis and A. A. Mc Arthur for Keeping Oyster Saloons, and that a Licence for Keeping a Billiard Room be granted to Wm. Littlefield for the Current year, subject to the By Laws already in Existence & others which this Council may think fit to introduce

Carried

The Council then adjourned until Monday Evg. the 23rd inst. at 7½ O. Clock.

D. Monroe
Clerk

Approved
Wm C. Allen.
Mayor.

Cornwall Monday 6th day of April 1868
— Regular Meeting —
Present — The Mayor the Reeve and
Councillors Hodge, Mack, Mattice
Craig, Hessel, Hunter, Mc Millan
and Mc Rae
Minutes of former meeting Read and
approved.
Moved by Councillor Mattice seconded
by Councillor Hessel that the following Accounts
be paid viz.

Payment of Accounts

James Myers for Keeping Macadamized Road in Repair for the winter season of 67/68 According to Contract	42.50
Thos Cars for acting as Pety. Officer for 68 as per Act	4.00
Peter Mc Lennan " " " " "	4.00
Dr Macdonald for County Rates for 67 the Amount being paid by the Treasurer Janry. 22/68	528.57
Alex. Gillespie 2 days Work on Road	1.80
Wm Walker 2½ " " " "	2.25

Carried

Road Committee authorized to buy Lumber

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Councillor Mattice that the Road Committee be Authorized to purchase 700 pieces of Deals also 400 pieces of Hemlock Scantling.

Carried

Tenders to be Received for

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Councillor Craig that Tenders be received until the evening of Monday the 4th day of May next for laying Stone and Gravel Side Walks on the following Streets as per plan and Specification (which may be seen at the Office of the Clerk) viz.
On Water Street from the Checkered Inn One block East.
also on Water Street from Augustus

Laying Side Walks

Street- One block West.
Also from Sidney Street- on 1st Street- one block East.
Also on 1st Street- in front of Wm McLeans Residence one block.
Also on 1st Street- from Hiram Pitts Corner one block West-
Also from Mrs. Finnans Corner on 1st Street- one block north.
Also from 4th Street 1 block North by David Perkins.

Carried

Making Partios Remove Fences

Moved by Councillor Hodge seconded by the Reeve that all Fences on the Streets be removed on or before the 1st day of May next- and that the Street Surveyor do notify all parties Concerned of the Same; and any person Refusing or neglecting to Comply with the Requirements of this Resolution will be prosecuted according to law.

Carried.

Building Fence between Lots 11 & 12

Moved by Councillor Hodge seconded by Councillor Mattice that the Committee on Town Property be authorized to build a portion of the Fence between Lots. No 11 & 12 on the North Side of Water Street

Carried

The Council then adjourned untill the Eve. of Monday the 20th instant at 7 O. Clock.

D. Monroe
Clerk

Cornwall Monday Apl. 29th 1868

Regular meeting -

Present The Mayor REEve and Councillors Hodge, Atchison, Mattice and Hunter.

Minutes of former meeting Read and approved.

Payment of Accounts

Moved by Coun. Hodge seconded by ~~Councillor~~ the REEve that the following Accounts be paid

Mrs. Wm. Josephus Bailey for Chief Magistrates Killed by dogs as per Certificate of BB 3.00

Court of Revision for 68

Moved by Councillor Atchison seconded by Coun. Mattice that the Court of Revision for the present year be composed of the REEve, Couns. Hodge, Mack, McMillan and the mover

Carried

When to meet

Moved by the REEve Sec. by C. Mattice that the Court of Revision be held on Monday the 18th day of May ~~next~~ at 7 O. Clock in the Evening and that the Clerk do give Notice and Advertise accordingly

Carried

Assessment Roll Returned

The Clerk notified the Council that the Assessor Returned the Assessment Roll properly tested

Notice of Motion

The REEve gave Notice that he would introduce a By Law at next Meeting of Council for the Licensing & Regulating of Carters Livery Stable Keepers and other persons having horses for hire.

The Council then adjourned until Monday Evg. the 4th ~~of~~ of May

H. Monsarrat
~ Clerk ~

Approved

Wm. C. Allen
Mayor

Cornwall Monday May 18th 1868

— Regular Meeting —

Present His Worship the Mayor the Reeve and Councillors Hodge, Mack Mc Millan, Atchison, Hunter & Mattice.

Minutes of former meeting read and approved

Moved by Councillor Mack seconded by Councillor Mc Millan that the following account be paid viz.

Pay & P a/c's

John Skeith for 2 mon. Salary Ending 24th Apl. $16.66 2/3

Henry Crawford for drawing 24 lb. Stone. 37½ 9.00

Carried

Mayor & Clerk to Sign Orders monthly for Skeiths Sly

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Coun. Mack that the Mayor and Clerk be Authorized to Sign Orders monthly for High Constable Skeiths Salary as per agreement

Carried

Day the 25th May to be observed as a Holiday

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Coun. Atchison that the Mayor be Authorized to issue a proclamation calling on the Citizens of this Town to observe Monday next the 25th inst. as a Public Holiday

Carried

Town Hall Given to the Canada Presbyterian Church

Moved by Councillor Mattice seconded by Councillor Hunter that the use of the Town Hall be given to the Canada Presbyterian Church for two or three Sabbaths

Carried Unanimously.

The Council then adjourned until Monday Evening the 2nd day of June at 8 O. Clock

D. Monroe
Clerk

Cornwall July 28th 1868

A Special Meeting for the transaction of
General business

Present The Mayor the Reeve Councillors
Mattice, Hunter, Craig, McMillan, Hodge
Atchison McPhee & Hazel.

Minutes of former meeting read & approved.

$350.00 Grant to Town for Drill Shed & Arms

The Mayor produced and read a letter from D. C. A. General enclosing one from the Adjutant General relative to a grant of Nine hundred & fifty dollars for the benefit of the Town of Cornwall on account of Drill Shed &c. & Warming & Lighting for the safe keeping of the Arms &c. of the Volunteers of this Town in the Town Hall.

Mayors Reply

The Reply to said letter was also read, which was approved of and a desire expressed that said amount be drawn at once.

Auditors Report

The Auditors Report for 67/68 was received and on motion of Councillor Hodge seconded by C. McMillan & Carried. Said Report was referred to the Finance Committee to be reported on at next Meeting

Carried

Bals. of Trustees Estimate for 1867

Application was made by the Trustees of S. S. No. 1 Cornwall for the sum of $600.00 being bals. due on their Estimate for 1867

Moved by Councillor Atchison seconded by Coun. Craig that said Application be granted

Carried

Counties Clerks returns

The Counties Clerks Ab of Levies on this Town ~~was read~~ for 1868 was read which was as follows viz.

Grammar School	32.[illegible]
County purposes	446.17
Equalized Assessment	373,[illegible]60.00

Moved by Councillor Mattice seconded by the Reeve
that the following Accounts be paid viz:

✓	James E. Baker drawing Gravel &c. per Ac.	$11.02
✓	Leslie Mattice 6 days Teaming as per Ac.	3.00
✓	David Bush Assisting Bruce in surveying Town	11.47
✓	George and James McConnel Work with Team per Ac.	68.25
✓	Joseph Dogherty 8½ days work in Gravel Bed	8.50
✓	James Bell 8½ " " " "	8.50
✓	Chs Robinson Work as per Ac.	24.98
✓	Robert Clark " " "	24.33
✓	William Walker 45 days work per Ac.	41.11
✓	Wm Phillips making 22 panels of Fence @ 25¢	5.50
✓	Theodore & I. Robinson Lumber for Side Walks &c. per Ac.	84.30
✓	Chs Robinson Towing Scow as per Ac.	2.50
✓	Hamilton McAlear Breaking Stone as per Ac.	3.53
✓	Miles Leclaire 3 days work on Scow	2.71
✓	Benjamin Anderson " "	75
✓	Phillip Carpenter Towing Scow as per Ac.	4.00
✓	Wm Moor " " "	2.00
✓	James Cossen 2 days work on Scow &c.	1.80
✓	A.D. McDonald drawing Gravel as per Ac.	17.75
✓	Chas. C. Johnstone Refitting Armory as per Ac.	4.50
✓	George S. Jarvis Salary as Auditor for 67/68	15.00
✓	John Carr " " "	15.00
✓	James S Keith Casting as per Ac.	19.87½
✓	John S Keith Sundries for Roads as per Ac.	6.00
✓	John Kirkpatrick 47 days work as Foreman on Roads, 1st 5	8.74
✓	John Anderson & others drawing timber & working on Scow	1.25

Carried

Notices to prevent indecent Exposure of persons

Moved by Councillor Aitchison seconded by Coun. Hunter
that the Mayor be authorized to issue Notices and Bills
in order to prevent Bathing in public places at unreasonable hours &c. &c. and that the High Constables particular attention be drawn thereto

Carried

Refunding part of Geo. McD. & Co's Licence money

Moved by Com. Mattice seconded by the Reeve that the sum of $17.50 be Refunded to Geo. McDonald & Co. they having paid for a full years licence and not having Commenced business until June 1868

Carried

Council then adjourned until Monday Evg. next the 3rd prox. at 7 O. Clock.

D. Monroe
Clerk

Approved
Wm. C. Allen. Mayor

Cornwall Sept'r 4th 1868

Special meeting for the transaction of General business

Present The Mayor, the Reeve Councillors Mattice, Hessel, Hunter, Craig, McMillan Mack, Atchison & Hodge

Minutes of former meeting Read & Approved

Moved by the Reeve Seconded by Com. Hessel that the following Accounts be paid viz.

Payment of Accounts

A. C. McLean Printing as per Ac		$5.25
Wm Mattice Sundries " "		28.25
D. Monroe Sp. Salary as Clerk		25.00
D. D. Making out Jury List for '69		4.00
John S. Bruce 9 days Surveying Down at 4.00 p day		36.00
D. Do. Making out Jury List		4.00

Carried

Printed Notice for Removing Fences

Moved by Councillor Hodge Seconded by the Reeve that Printed Notices be Posted in the different Parts of the Town Requiring parties to remove their Fences according to the late Survey

Carried

Over

Notice of Motion

The Reeve gave notice that he would introduce a By Law at the next meeting of Council to Compel parties selling bread to give the full or usual compliment of bread to the loaf viz. 4 lbs.

Committee to sell Engine House & purchase Grounds for an Hospital

Moved by Com. Craig seconded by Councillor Hunter that a Committee composed of the Mayor, Mr. Millan, Mattice, & the Reeve in order to dispose of the present Engine House, and to see about purchasing a piece of ground on which to build an Hospital & Report with regard to the purchase of the piece of land at the next meeting of Council

Carried

The Council then adjourned until a week from Monday 23d Inst at 7 O.Clock

D. Monroe
Clerk

Approved
Wm. S. Allen Mayor

Cornwall Septr 14th 1868

The following members of Council were present His worship the Mayor the Reeve Com Mattice, Craig & Hunter There being no quorum no business was transacted

D. Monroe
Clerk

Cornwall Octr. 26th 1868

— Regular Meeting —

Present His Worship the Mayor, the Reeve Councillors Mattice, Hunter, Craig, McMillan, Mack, Atchison & McPhee.

Minutes of former meeting read & approved.

Jas Bethune Esq's resignation as Grammar School Trustee

A letter from Jas. Bethune Esqr. tendering his resignation as Grammar School Trustee of this Town was read & left over for the future consideration of the Council.

Samuel Pollock Engaged as High Constable in the Stead of Keith

Moved by Councillor Mattice seconded by Coun. Hunter that Wm Samuel Pollock be engaged as High Constable, Street Surveyor &c &c. in the Stead of, and on the same terms as Wm Keith Commencing 10th October/68, And that the By Law for appointing Wm Pollock High Constable &c, &c, be now read a first second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor, notwithstanding any Rule or Ordinance to the Contrary.

Carried

By Law to be Read 1st, 2nd & 3rd time

The By Law was accordingly read a first second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor.

By Law Read

Leveying Assessment on Town

Moved by Councillor Mattice seconded by Coun. Craig that the By Law for Leveying the Assessment for the Town of Cornwall for the Current Year at the Rate of 1 Cent on the dollar be now read a first time.

Carried

By Law 1st time

The By Law was read a first time

By Law Read 2nd & 3rd time

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Coun. Craig that the By Law for Leveying the assessment as above Stated be now read a second

and third time passed and Signed by the Mayor Notwithstanding any Rule or Ordinance to the Contrary

Carried

By Law Read

The By Law was accordingly read a second and third time passed & Signed by the Mayor

Wm Cline Collector

Moved by the REEve Seconded by Conn. Mattice that- Wm Cline Esqr. be Reappointed Collector for the Current Year at the Same Salary viz $60 00

Carried

By Law Appointing Collector

Moved by the REEve Seconded by Conn. Craig that- the By Law for the appointment of Collector be now read a 1st 2nd & 3rd time passed and Signed by the Mayor Notwithstanding any Rule or Ordinance to the Contrary

Carried

By Law Regulating the weight of Bread

The By Law was accordingly read a 1st 2nd & 3rd time passed & Signed by the Mayor

Moved by Conn. Craig Sec. by Conn. Atchison that- the By Law Regulating the weight of Bread be read a 1st time

Carried

The By Law was read a 1st time.

Moved by Conn. Hunter Sec. by Conn. Craig that- the By Law for Regulating the weight of Bread be now read a 2nd & 3rd time passed & Signed by the Mayor Notwithstanding any Rule or Ordinance to the Contrary

Carried

The By Law was accordingly read a 2nd & 3rd time passed & Signed by the Mayor

Moved by Coun. Mack Sec. by Councillor Atchison that the following accounts be paid viz.

Mrs. Peter Lonkey for cleaning Stove & Pipes $ 0.40
Raymond & James Cresser & others for work on Barge with Grand 6.07½
Do. Do. 6 days work on Roads @ 90¢ 5.40
Old Lavalley for assisting at Dennis Burial 1.00
Richard Seal "Montreal" 1 Hearse — — 50.00
Hallister for Telegrams .81
John Ostell 3 Circular windows 10.00
Do. Do. 250 pieces called deals @ 16.00 40.00
Wardell for assisting at Dennis Burial 1.00
James Myers for 2 Cedar Timber Stakes 1.00
Phillips Carpenter 3 days work with Hand Cart 3.75
Str. Renaud freight on Sashes — — .25
James Phelan Toll on Scow & Barge — — 8.49
Dan McCarty 10½ days work on Roads @ 90¢ — — — 9.22½
D. & J. Robertson for Lumber — — 25.21
Alex. D'Ennery Painting & Glazing in Town Hall 5.43
Wm Moor drawing Stone &c as per Ac- 16.25
Chas. Kennedy Carting Dennis Corpse & frame .50
Accounts Chas. Robertson Work on Roads — 48.13½
Wm Walker " " " " — — 27.90
Geo. McConnel 8 days work with team @ 2.00 16.00
Angus Talbot making 96 Rods Side walk @ 60¢ — 57.60
Str. British America towing Scow — — 10.00
John Kirkpatrick 28 days work @ 1.25 35.00
James Skeith Carting as per Ac — — — 35.87½
Thos. Murphy Carting " " " 11.97

Carried

The Council then adjourned until Monday Evg. the 9th inst. at 7.0. Clock

D. Monroe
Clerk

Approved
Wm. J. [illegible]
Mayor

Cornwall December 9th 1868

Special Meeting for the transaction of general business

Present—His Worship the Mayor the Reeve Councillors Mattice, Hunter, Craig, Mack, Hessel, McPhee & McMillan.

Minutes of former meeting read and approved

Collectors Bond — The Mayor gave notice that the Collector gave the necessary bonds before Commencing his duties as Collector.

Asking for Tenders for Keeping the Macadamized Road in Repair — The Mayor also stated that as there had not been a quorum at the last Regular meeting night of Council, & at the Request of a number of the members of the Council asked for tenders for the Keeping of the Macadamized Road in Repair during the winter season of 67/68.

Opening of Tenders — Tenders were then Opened

One from Mr Carpenter offering to do the work for
" " Mr Myers " " " "
" " Messrs Alex & Jas. C. Rose " " " "

Messrs Rose's Tender Accepted Conditionally — Moved by Councillor Mack seconded by Councillor Hunter that the Tender of Alex. & Jas. C. Rose be accepted with the understanding that the Snow Plough be returned in Equally Good Repair as when given into their hands and that any Repairs that may be required during the season shall be borne by the Contracting parties they to sign the necessary bonds for the Completion of the Contract

Carried

By Law appointing Polling — Moved by the Reeve seconded by Councillor Hunter that the By Law appointing Polling Places & Returning Officers for the Coming Municipal Elections be read a 1st time

Carried

By Laws Read a First time

Places And Returning Officers Read and Passed

Moved by the Reeve Seconded by Councillor Hunter that the By Law aforesaid be now read a 2nd & 3rd time Passed and Signed by the Mayor Notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the Contrary

Carried

By Law was accordingly read a second and third time Passed and Signed by the Mayor

Communication from Board of School Trustees

A Communication from the Board of School Trustees was Read and laid over for the future Consideration of the Council

Payments

Moved by Councillor Mack Seconded by Councillor Craig that the following Accounts be paid viz:

Angus Mullaney	for Carting & as per Acct	$ 8.00
James Crosser	" Work " "	18.62
Wm Walker	" " " "	12.15
Charles Robertson	" " " "	9.65
James Devereux	for Lumber " "	4.00
Angus Talbot	" Working at Side Walk	5.31
John V Rolland & Metzinger	for Altering Buildings	29.00
Jas. Irvine	acting as Returning Officer for 68	8.00
Wm Cline	Salary as Collector for 67 60 on Statement	61.24
John S. Bruce	Salary as Assessor for 1868	60.00
Wm Smith	for Painting & Repg. Hearse as per Acct	17.00
Wm Collinger	Blacksmith Work as " "	23.37½
Express Office	for Chgs. on Collector Blanks	.25
W Hollister	for Telegraphing	.66

Carried

The Mayor

Moved by the Reeve Seconded by Councillor Mack that the Mayor be authorized to treat with Wm Donald B. McLennan for the Funding

to treat with D. McLennan

on his part of the Sum of One Hundred and ten dollars ($110.00) with interest thereon, being Amount taken from Town Treasury for Costs in Mandamus Suits, and that he Report at next meeting of Council

Carried

In the Event of Mess. Rose not Complying with Conditions Accepted Myers to get it

Moved by Councillor Mack Seconded by the Reeve that in the Event of Messrs Rose not accepting the Conditions in the foregoing Resolution relating to the Same – that the next lower tender be accepted viz that of Mr Myers

Carried

The Council then adjourned until the 21st inst. at 7½ O. Clock P.M.

D Monroe Clerk.

Approved

W. C. Pitts

Mayor

Cornwall January 16th 1869

Special Meeting for the transaction of

– General Business –

Present – His worship the Mayor the Reeve Councillors Atchison, Hodge, Mack, Hessel, Craig, Mattice, & McPhee & Hunter.

Minutes of former meeting Read and approved.

Dr Dickinson Reappted Grammar School Trustee

Moved by Councillor Craig Seconded by Councillor Hunter that Dr Jas. Dickinson be Reappointed Grammar School Trustee for the ensuing three years

Carried

Resignation of Jas Bethune as Gramm School Trustee Accepted

Moved by the Reeve Seconded by Councillor Hunter that the Resignation of Jas. Bethune Esqr. as Grammar School Trustee be accepted.

Carried

Duncan McLennan appointed Grammar School Trustee

Moved by the Reeve Seconded by Councillor Hodge that Mr Duncan McLennan be appointed Grammar School Trustee for Mr Jas. Bethunes unexpired term

Carried

Reading By Laws

Moved by Councillor Atchison Seconded by Councillor McPhee that the By Laws for the appointments of Grammar School Trustees be now read a first, second & third time Passed & Signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any Rule or Ordinance to the Contrary.

Carried

By Laws Read, Signed & passed

The By Laws were accordingly read a 1st, 2nd & 3rd time Passed and Signed by the Mayor.

Payment of Accounts

Moved by the Reeve Seconded by Councillor Atchison that the following Accounts be Paid viz:

James Kilgour Salary as Treasurer	$ 20.00
Samuel Pollock for Cartage	.62½
Josephus Bailey for Ale unpaid Since 1865	.75
P.E. Adams for Rope &c as per Ac	7.11
A.P. Ross Lumber &c " " "	3.40
John Sneteinger for Lumber as per "	4.05
John A. McCulloch Agt. H.P.C. Insurance on T. Hall	15.00
Henry Rowsell Blanks as per Ac	29.15
John Kirkpatrick Lamps &c as per Ac	24.10
Nelson Turner Sundries " "	16.37
C.C. Snowden Montreal Mails " "	24.20
Hugh McCallum &c Changing Front Door in T. Hall	1.50
Wm Mattice Sundries as per Ac	22.27
John McPhee " " "	11.21
Duncan Monroe ½ year Salary as Clerk	25.00
James Kilgour Sundries as per Bill	5.19

Over

Carried

Aid granted to Mrs Walden an indigent woman

Moved by the Reeve Seconded by Councillor Atchison that the Sum of Seven dollars and fifty cents be granted to Mrs. Walden an indigent woman in order to pay her Expenses to Albany.

Carried

Letter from Mrs. D.e McDonald asking aid for Roman Catholic Poor

A Letter from Mrs D.e R. Macdonald asking aid for the Roman Catholic Poor was Read, but the Council having previously decided not to grant any denominational aid, no action was taken in the matter, and the Mayor was authorized to communicate the Views of the Council to Mrs. D.e Macdonald.

Motion that By Law for Payt. of Ales be Read

Moved by the Reeve Seconded by Councillor Atchison that the By Law for the Payment of Ales for the past Year and to the Close of the Session be now Read a First, Second & third time Passed and Signed by the Mayor, notwithstanding any Rule or ordinance to the Contrary.

Carried

By Laws Read passed & Signed

The By Law was accordingly Read a First, Second & third time Passed and Signed by the Mayor.

Resolution

Moved by the Reeve Seconded by Councillor Mattice that the members of this Council, at this their last meeting, cannot fail to express their Regret that Andrew Hodge Esqr. who has been their esteemed Confrere for so many years, has considered it expedient owing to his great pressure of private business, to withdraw from this Council and refuse Reelection; that this Council cannot allow such Separation (which they sincerely hope will be only temporary) to take place, without placing on their records, the high Estimation which he has ever held in the feelings of this Council, and to bear willing and cheerful

Expressing

Regret

at

W^m Hodge leaving the Council

testimony to his invaluable Services as a member of this Corporation, which have ever been of a Prudent, impartial and Zealous character, and such as to merit the warmest esteem of each and every member of this board and that a Copy of this Resolution be forwarded to W^m Hodge Signed by the Mayor and Clerk on behalf of this Council with the Official Seal attached thereto.

Carried unanimously the Members of Council all Standing.

Vote of thanks to W^m Hesel

Moved by Councillor Hunter Seconded by Councillor Mattice that a Vote of thanks be tendered to W^m Hesel on his retirement from this board, for the independant Course pursued by him while a member of this Council.

Carried unanimously

The Council then arose.

T. Monroe
Town Clerk

W^m C. Allen
Mayor.

Cornwall January 18^th 1869 Noon

1^st Meeting of new Council

Present The Mayor W^m Co^r Allen Esq^r the Reeve Angus Bethune Esq^r. the deputy Reeve W^m Mack Esq^r & Councillors W^m Mattice Rob^t Craig, John McPhee, John Hunter, W^m Atchison, D. M^c Millan, C. J. Mattice & John B. M^c Lennan.

The [illegible], the Reeve, deputy Reeve, and

Councillors C. J. Mattice & Mc Lennan made and Signed the necessary declarations of Office and Qualification.

Appt of Clerk

Moved by the Reeve Seconded by Councillor Craig that John Stein Jr be appointed Town Clerk for the Ensuing Year at a Salary of Fifty dollars per year

Carried Unanimously

Treasurer

Moved by Councillor Hunter Seconded by Councillor McLennan that James Wilson be appointed Treasurer for the Ensuing year at the Same Salary viz $20.00

Carried

Town Constable

Moved by the Reeve Seconded by Councillor Craig that Samuel Pollock be reappointed Town Constable, Street Surveyor, Market Clerk, Fire Warden &c. &c. for the Current year at the Same Salary and upon the Same Terms and Conditions as heretofore

Carried

Auditors for Current year viz Jas. S. Jarvis & Wm Rathwell

Moved by the Reeve Seconded by the Deputy Reeve that Mr James S. Jarvis be appointed Auditor for the Current Year.

Moved in amendment by Councillor McLennan Seconded by Councillor McMillan that Wm T. S. Mallon be appointed Auditor for the Current year.

Amendment lost on the following division

Yeas McLennan, McMillan, Hunter & Craig.

Nays The Reeve, Deputy Reeve & Councillors Wm Mattice, Wm Atchison, John McPhee & C. J. Mattice.

Main motion Carried on the same division appointed Wm Rathwell 2nd auditor

By Law

Moved by Councillor Craig Seconded by Councillor Mattice, that a By Law be Passed Confirming the

appointing Municipal Officers

appointments of Municipal Officers to serve under this Corporation, be now read a first, second and third time, passed and signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any Rule or ordinance to the Contrary

Carried

Municipal Officers passed &c

One By Law was accordingly read a first, second & third time, passed and signed by the Mayor.

Clerk authorized to keep Books at place of business

Moved by Councillor McLennan seconded by Councillor Hunter that the Clerk of this Council be allowed to keep at his place of business Certain Papers, which the Ratepayers may wish to inspect, such as the Minutes of Council, Auditors report, assessment roll and any other Papers which may be authorized by Laws; By Laws & Bonds excepted

Carried

The Council then adjourned until Monday the 1st day of February at 7 O. Clock P. M.

Approved
Wm C. Allen.
Mayor.

D. Monroe
Clerk.

Cornwall February 1st 1869

Present: His worship the Mayor: The Reeve: The Deputy Reeve and Councillors McLennan McMillan & Hunter There not being a quorum no business was transacted

J Meath
Clerk

8th February 1869

Regular Meeting

Council met pursuant to adjournment
Present The Mayor. Reeve and Councillors
Wm Mattice. Craig. Atchison. McLennan McMillan
EJ Mattice MacPhee and Hunter

The Clerk John Sheath jr took the necessary declaration of Office which was filed and then took his seat

Minutes of former meeting were read & approved

Appt of Tavern Inspector

Moved by Councillor McLennan Seconded by Councillor Hunter that James Gaillin be appointed Tavern Licence Inspector for the ensuing year

J Snetsinger appointed Tavern Inspector

Moved in amendment by Councillor Atchison seconded by Councillor EJ Mattice "That John Snetsinger be appointed Inspector of Taverns for the ensuing year

Amendment Carried

Limiting number of Tavern & Shop Licences Certificates

Moved by the Reeve Seconded by Councillor EJ Mattice that the number of Tavern and Shop Licences certificates to be allowed for the ensuing year shall be respectively Twelve and that the amount to be paid to this Corporation over and above the amount payable to the Provincial Government shall be Seventy dollars ($70.00)

Carried Unanimously

Bye Law

Moved by Councillor Wm Mattice seconded by Councillor Craig that the Bye Law for limiting the number of Tavern and Shop Licence

certificates &c be now read a first, second and third time passed and signed by the mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the contrary

Carried unanimously

The Bye Laws were accordingly read a first, second and third time, passed and signed by the mayor.

Bye Law

Moved by Councillor Atchison seconded by Councillor Wm Mattice that the Bye Laws for the appointment of John Snetsinger as tavern licence inspector be now read a first, second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the Contrary

Carried

The Bye Law was accordingly read a first, second and third time passed and signed by the mayor

Dr Ryerson intention of holding a meeting here on the subject of Education

The mayor read the notice of Dr Ryerson Chief superintendant of Education giving notice of his intention to hold a meeting here on the subject of Education on monday the 15th of March at one oclock P.M. whereupon It was moved by Councillor McLennan seconded by Councillor Craig that the notice of such meeting be advertized twice in the local paper here

Carried

Appt of Finance Committee

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Councillor Wm Mattice that the following members constitute the finance committee for the ensueing year viz his Worship the Mayor and Councillors - McLennan Mattice & Craig

Carried

Appt of Road Committee

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Councillor C.J. Mattice that the following members constitute the Road Committee for the ensuing year: Viz. His Worship the Mayor the deputy Reeve and Councillors Wm Mattice, Atchison & McMillan

Carried

a/c. to be passed

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Councillor Atchison That the following accounts be paid Viz

John Brown	Lumber as per a/c	$ 14.68
A.P. Ross	"	14.13
Mr McLean	Printing "	6.25
J.E. Baker	for 250 yds Gravel	15.00
A Scott	Use of House for Election purpose 3 days	6.00
Augs Talbot	do four "	8.00
J. Smart	acting as returning Officer three days	6.00
P.G. McLennan	do four "	8.00
R. Sneeting	do three "	6.00
J. Dewar	as Poll Clerk to P.G. McLennan two "	2.00
L Pollock	1 Load Wood for Corporation	4.00

Carried

J Myers to be allowed as Snow Plough

Moved by Councillor McLennan seconded by Councillor McMillan that James Myers be allowed the use of the snow plough for one day to clear out road to St Andrews

Lost

Leases to be let free to all who may require such

Moved by Councillor McLennan seconded by Councillor Hunter That the Leases be let free to all parties within the town who may require such free: and that High Constable Pollock be allowed ten dollars annually in addition to his present salary for taking care of same and keeping it properly cleaned so as to be ready at all times for use

Mr Pollock to be allowed $10.00 in addition to his present Salary

Carried

Treasurer to get a box for Keeping Money &c

Moved by Councillor McLennan seconded by Councillor Craig that the Treasurer be allowed to get a tin box in order to keep the Money and valuables belonging to this Corporation

Carried

Adjournment of Council

Moved by Councillor Mattice seconded by the Reeve that this council do now adjourn and do stand adjourned until monday the 22nd inst at 7.30 P.M.

Carried

I Keith
Clerk

Wm C Allen Mayor
8th March 1869

12th February 1869

Special Meeting

Subject of Macadamized road

The Council met this Evening as per summons issued by order of his worship the mayor in order to take into consideration the advisability of either throwing the macadamized road open to the public free of toll or having gravel drawn to have said road repaired. After mature Consideration of the subject by the following members who were present viz The Mayor, The Reeve and Councillors McLean, Craig, Hunter, J. Mattice McLennan and McMillan

Macadamized road to be Repaired

It was moved by the Reeve and seconded by Councillor Craig and Carried unanimously that the road Committee be authorized to ask tenders for drawing 500 yards of Gravel or such quantity as they may think necessary in order to have the macadamized Road thoroughly repaired

Wm C Allen Mayor

The Council then Adjourned

I Keith Clerk

8th March 1869

Regular meeting

Council met pursuant to adjournment

Present.. His worship the mayor, the Reeve the Deputy Reeve and Councillors Wm Mattici Hunter McLennan McMillan Craig Atchison MacPhee and D Mattici

Minutes of former meetings read and approved

Moved by Councillor McLennan seconded by Councillor McMillan that Mrs Cadwell be allowed twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) for cow of hers which died in Snow drift

Moved in amendment by Councillor Craig and seconded by Councillors Hunter that Mr Cadwell be allowed twenty dollars ($20.00) as a consideration for the Loss of Cow

Nays.. The Mayor. the Reeve. the deputy Reeve and Councillors Wm Mattici Atchison MePhee and D Mattici

Yeas.. Councillors McLennan McMillan Craig and Hunter

The main motion was put and Lost

Moved by the Reeve and seconded by Councillor Atchison that John S Bruce be appointed assessor for the ensueing year at the same salary as last year viz Sixty dollars ($60.00) within

Appt

Moved in amendment by Councillor McLennan and seconded by Councillor McMillan that Samuel Hart be appointed assessor for the ensueing year

Assessor

Yeas Councillors McMillan McLennan &

Hunter

Nays, the Mayor, Reeve, Deputy Reeve, and Councillors Wm Mattice, Craig, Atchison, McPhee and G Mattice

Main motion put & Carried

Yeas: The Mayor Reeve Deputy Reeve and Councillors Wm. Mattice Craig Atchison Mc Phee & G Mattice

Nays, Councillors McLennan Wm Wilson and Hunter

By-law

Moved by Councillor Wm Mattice and seconded by the Deputy Reeve that the By-law for the appointment of John S Bruce as assessor be now read a first, second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the contrary

Carried

The By-Law was accordingly read a first, second & third time passed and signed By the Mayor

Auditors Report referred to Finance Committee

The Auditors having handed in their Report which was read and upon motion of the Reeve seconded by Councillor Atchison that it be referred to the Finance Committee and the Abstract published

Moved in amendment by Councillor McLennan and seconded by Councillor Wilson that the Auditors Report be published in full

Yeas Councillors McLennan Wm Wilson & Hunter

Nays The Mayor the Reeve the Deputy Reeve & Councillors Wm Mattice Macphee Craig Atchison & G Mattice

Main Motion put & Carried

Councillor
Moved by C. Mattice Seconded by
Councillor Atchison that the following accounts
be paid

Mrs Cadwell for 1/2 day of horse & cart $0.62½
P. Gillie Salary as tavern Inspector for 68 10.00

Carried

Common School Estimates

Moved by Councillor C. Mattice and
Seconded by Councillor Atchison that
$1250.00 be placed to the Credit of the Board of
Common School Trustees estimate of 1868

Carried

Moved by Councillor Wm. Mattice
Seconded by Councillor Mack that this Council
do now adjourn until Monday the 22nd inst
at 7.30 P.M.

John Skeith
Clerk

Carried

Approved
Wm. Allen
Mayor

March 22nd 1869

Regular Meeting

No meeting

Present his Worship the Mayor & Councillors McLennan McMillan Hunter & McLean
there not being a Quorum no business was
transacted

John Skeith
Clerk

April 5. 1869
No meeting

April 19 1869

Regular Meeting

Present His Worship the Mayor the Reeve the Deputy Reeve and Councillors McLean Wm Mattice Hunter McMillan McPhee Craig Atchison and J. Mattice

Minutes of former meeting read and approved

Moved by the Reeve and seconded by Councillor Wm Mattice that a Grant of Thirty dollars ($30.00) be made to the Rev Dr Patton for the support of Eliza Anderson and also that Madame Bisonette be allowed thirteen dollars $13.00 for the support of old Dock

Carried

Moved by Councillor Atchison and seconded by Councillor McLean that an account of the severity of the season (Clay & Lamers Rods) be allowed twenty five ($25.00) per rod above the amount of the tender for keeping same macadamized Road in order Yeas the Mayor the Reeve and Councillors Atchison McLean Wm Mattice & J. Mattice Nays the Deputy Reeve and Councillors McLennan Hunter McMillan McPhee & Craig

Lost

Moved by Councillor McLennan and seconded by Councillor Hunter that the following accounts be paid viz

Clay & Lamers Rods Keeping Macadamized Road as order — — — — $ 50 00

J. Starrett Breaking Ice at Lobsetts .75

Wm Walker 2½ days Shovelling Snow 1.88

Grant of $30 for the Support of Eliza Anderson

$13 for old Dock

Payment

Accounts

J Fallon	10 3/4 days Shoveling Snow	$ 9.67½
J Cressey	2½ " do	2.50
J Boan	do	1.00
J Shinnen	do	9.85
D McCarthy	do	1.35
A Gillespie	do	1.35
Angus Lobonde	do	4.50
John Premo	do	4.00
Charles Robinson	do	8.32½
Angus McDonald	Wood	2.50
R Gorman	Carting during the part year	1.00
William Bethune	as auditor	15.00
Georges S Jarvis	do	15.00
Henry Rowell	assessment Blanks &c/s	5.67
John Lovell	Printing auditors Report &c/s	10.35

Carried

Moved by the deputy Reeve and Seconded by Councillor McLean that the debenture maturing the 1st of May and which was placed in the "Ontario Bank, Montreal" by Wm Mattice and now held shall be paid upon receiving a bond from the said William Mattice Guaranteeing that no further Claim will be made on account of said Debenture

Payment of Debentures

Yeas the Mayor the Reeve the deputy Reeve and Councillors McLean McMillan Hunter & Craig

Nays Councillors McLennan McMillan & Hunter

Carried

Councillors William Mattice and [illegible]

Moved by Councillor McLean

Auditors Report for the year 69 To be published

Taxes Refunded

...ed and seconded by the Deputy Reeve that the Auditors Report for the year 1869 be published in pamphlet form by Mr McLennan of the Freeholder, said report to be same similar to that issued by John Lovell for 1868 and upon the same terms viz $10.00

Carried

Moved by Councillor McLean and seconded by Councillor Craig that Councillor Wilkins Taxes be refunded four dollars for Error in assessment

Carried

The Council then adjourned until Monday the 3rd day of May

Wm Keith
Clerk

Wm G. Allen.
Mayor

May 3rd 1869
No Meeting
W.K.

May 17th 1869
No Meeting W.K.

May 31st 1869
Present Councillors McLennan & Craig

7th June 1869

Special Meeting

Present His Worship the Mayor, the Reeve, the Deputy Reeve, and Councillors McLean, McLennan Craig, Hunter, McMillan, MacKay, Atchison & C. J. Mathieu.

Minutes of former meeting read and approved

Appointment of Court of Revision

Moved by Councillor Atchison and seconded by Councillor Craig that the following members of Council constitute the Court of Revision viz the Reeve the Deputy Reeve & Councillors McLean McMillan & C. J. Mathieu

Carried

Payment of Accounts

Moved by the Reeve and seconded by Councillor McLennan that the following accounts be paid viz

Miles Leclair	1 days work breaking Ice at Wharf	$0.90
James Fallon	3½ " "	3.15
Miles Leclair	Driving Team (for Remainder of July)	1.00
James Blyth	Repairing Lock in armory	.50
Jo. Joyal	1 days work Breaking Ice at Wharf	0.90

Carried

Macadamized Road to be repaired

The Dangerous condition of the Macadamize Road was taken into consideration when upon it was resolved that the Street surveyor be authorized to repair the same forthwith

Moved by the Reeve and seconded by Councillor Atchison that the account $38.75 as presented by Mr Ross be paid

Payment

Moved in amendment by the Deputy Reeve and seconded by Councillor Hunter that Alex & James Ross be

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Mr Wm Ross's
o/c

in full

Committee

appointed

To ascertain the
the Cost of adding
500 or 75 feet to River
Wharf - etc

allowed $2.50 per day for the time kept by
Mr Pollock

Yeas the Deputy Reeve & Councillors McLennan
& Hunter

Nays the Reeve & Councillors Atchison
C. Mattice Craig McLean & McPhee

The Original Motion was put and Carried on the following
division; Yeas the Reeve & Councillors Atchison C. Mattice Craig McLean & McPhee
Nays the Deputy Reeve & Councillors McLennan & Hunter

Moved by Councillor J.B. McLennan
and Seconded by Councillor Hunter
That the Reeve the Deputy Reeve and
Councillor Atchison act as a committee
to prepare specifications and the probable
cost of adding fifty or seventy five feet to
the River wharf. Said Committee to report
to this council at its next meeting

Carried Unanimously

The Council then adjourned until
Wednesday Evening 9 inst at 7.30 Oclock

Approved
Wm C. Allen
Mayor

Attest
Clerk

Wednesday June 9th 1869
June 14th 1869

Present His Worship the Mayor the Deputy-
Reeve & Councillors C. Mattice & Hunter
there not being a Quorum no business
was transacted

Attest
Clerk

June 28th 1869
Regular Meeting
Present his worship the mayor and Councillors Craig
& Atchison

Monday July 12th/69

No meeting.)

Monday July 26th 1869

Present. His Worship the Mayor. The Deputy Reeve and Councillors J. B. McLennan. McMillan. Hunter. Craig. & C. J. Mattice

No business transacted in consequence of the above mentioned members of Council not appearing at the same time.

I Keith
Clerk

Monday August 9th 1869

No Meeting

23rd August 1869

Regular Meeting

Present His Worship the Mayor The Reeve the Deputy Reeve & Councillors McLean Wm Mattice McLennan, McMillan, Craig, Hunter, McPhee, Aitchison, & C. J Mattice

Minutes of former meeting read and approved

Moved by the Reeve & seconded By Councillor C. J Mattice that the application of Wm Angus McDonald asking that a Saloon Licence be granted him be deferred until next night of meeting for further Consideration

Moved in amendment by Councillor McLennan and seconded by Councillor McMillan that the application of Mr. Angus McDonald be decided at the present meeting

Yeas Councillors McLennan. Hunter McMillan and Atchison

Nays the Reeve the Deputy Reeve and Councillors McLean McPhee Wm Mattice Craig & C.J. Mattice

Main Motion Carried on the same division

Moved by Councillor McLennan and Seconded by Councillor McLean that the following accounts be paid viz

Farmers to	Henry Rowsell Assessment Clerk & Expenses	$ 1.35
	Wm Hood 2 days Work with team	4.00
	Soloman Borkhart Work as per a/c	18.12½
	Michael Kerner 9 days work	8.10
"	Mrs Robert Clark Cleaning Hall (5 days)	2.75
	Alfred Blair 1½ days work	1.35
	Mrs Anderson Hall Cleaning & Board	4.20
	Joseph Boyajian 2 days work	1.80
	Michael Gallinger Work with team & self	21.12½
Account	Roland Smetsinger Work & Lumber as per a/c	6.52
	Wm Campbell Work as per a/c	16.87½

Carried

His Worship read a Letter from Mr J. Boyajian in behalf of Mr Benjamin Gallinger asking damages in the amount of one hundred dollars ($100.) for injuries sustained on the Macadamized Road whereupon it was moved by the Reeve and seconded by Councillor Atchison that a committee be appointed

To enquire in the matter And Committee to be composed of the Mayor & Councillors McLean & Mattice the mover & seconder

Carried

Building of Side Walks

Moved by Councillor Hunter and seconded by Councillor C. J. Mattice that the Road Committee be authorized to furnish Material and build wood side walks on west side of Mills Street from 4th to 2nd Street to be Eight feet wide from 2nd to Yates Street to be twelve feet wide on 1st Street from Pitt to Agustus Street four feet wide also from Agustus to York Street the Material to be left to the discretion of the Committee

Carried

Appointment of Pound Keepers

Moved by Councillor Hunter and seconded by the Reeve (That he pound Keeper for the East ward John Moor) (That he pound Keeper for the west ward Alexander Kinnie & R. Pollock for the Centre ward

Carried

The Council then adjourned until Monday the 30th August

John Smith
Clerk

N. Bethune
Reeve

20th September 1869

Present Councillors J. B. McLennan Craig McMillan & Hunter

4th January 1869

Present Councillors McLennan Craig McMillan

Oct 18th 1869

Present the Deputy Reeve and Councillors John B. McLennan Craig Hunter McNaughton & C.J. Mattice

in consequence of members not appearing at same time no business was transacted

John Keith
Clerk

November 1st 1869

Regular meeting

Present the Reeve the Deputy Reeve and Councillors Mr. Mattice, Hunter, Craig J.B. McLennan, McPhun, C.J. Mattice, Atchison & McLean

Minutes of former meeting read and approved

Appointment of Collector

Moved by Councillor C.J. Mattice that Adam Elgie be appointed Collector for the present year at a salary of fifty dollars per annum

Carried

By Law

Moved by Councillor Atchison and seconded by Councillor McLean that the by Law for the appointment of Adam Elgie as collector for the town of Cornwall for the present year be read a 1st 2nd & 3rd time passed and signed by the Reeve notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the contrary

Carried

The Bye Law was accordingly read a 1st 2nd & 3rd time passed & signed by the Reeve

Rate in the dollar

Moved by Councillor Hunter & seconded by Councillor Craig that one cent in the dollar be Levied on all the real and personal property in the town of Cornwall

Carried

Payments

Moved by the Deputy Reeve & seconded by Councillor Atchison that the following a/c. be paid

Accounts

C. Abbott Cleaning Town Hall &c	$ 6.15
H. Rowsell Collector Roll & Order Book &c.	3.35
J. S. Bruce Salary as assessor & Selecting List of Jurors	64.00
D. McLennan Travelling Expenses in Looking Mr. McDonald (Little Mark)	16.25
I. Keith Salary as Clerk & a/c. &c.	29.73

Carried

Clerk to ask for tenders for Keeping Macadamized in order and for the drawing & travel for same

Moved by the Deputy Reeve & seconded by Councillor Wm. Mattice that the Clerk be authorized to ask tenders for Keeping the Macadamized Road from the canal to Farmers Corners in a satisfactory manner for travel and free from obstructions during the coming sleighing season, and for the drawing of 500 yards of gravel from Annables Gravel pit or such quantity as may be deemed necessary for the thorough repair of the Macadamized Road

also for the Leasing of Lots No. 10 & 11

on the north side of Water Street
Carried

Leave of absence to His Worship the Mayor

Moved by Councillor C.J. Mattice and seconded by Councillor McLean that one Months Leave of absence be granted to His Worship the Mayor
Yeas the Deputy Reeve & Councillors Mr. Mattice Craig McLean McPhee Atchison & C.J. Mattice
Nays Councillors J.B. McLennan & Hunter
Carried

Moved by Councillor Craig & Sec'd by Councillor McLean that this Council now adjourn until Monday the 8th day of November.

A. Bethune
Reeve -

John Routh
Clerk

Monday November 8th 1869

The Council met pursuant to adjournment

Present the Reeve the deputy Reeve and Councillors Mr. Mattice Hunter McLennan C.J. Mattice Atchison and McMillan

Minutes of former meeting were read and approved

Councillor McLennan chose objection upon the ground that the meeting was not a regular one

By Law

Moved by Councillor C.J. Mattice and seconded by the Deputy Reeve that the Bye-Law for levying one cent on the dollar be read a 1st 2nd & 3rd time passed and signed by the Reeve & that any rule or ordinance to the contrary

Carried

The By-Law was accordingly read a 1st 2nd & 3rd time passed and signed by the Reeve

Moved by Councillor C.J. Mattice seconded by Councillor McLennan that the bond given by Adam Elijh be received and read

Carried

The Bond was then read but the amount of Surety given not being considered sufficient it was moved by Councillor C.J. Mattice and sec'd by Councillor Atchison that Adam Elijh be required to give two sureties in the sum of two thousand five hundred Dollars each

Carried

Opening Tenders

Moved by Councillor Atchison and sec'd by Councillor C.J. Mattice that the Tenders for Keeping open Macadamized Roads etc be now opened

Carried

The Tender were then opened

James Myers Tender accepted

Moved by Councillor McLennan and sec'd by the Deputy Reeve that James Myers's Tender $162.50 for keeping the Macadamized road open during the Coming Sleighing season be accepted by entering into Bonds

Carried

Tender accepted for Drawing gravel

Moved by Councillor McLennan sec'd by Councillor McMillan that James Myers's Tender $1.60 a yard for drawing gravel for the Macadamized Road from Annable's Gravel pit be accepted the necessary security being given

Carried

Leasing Lots Nos 10 & 11

Moved by Councillor C.J. Mattice and sec'd by the Deputy Reeve that Joseph Atchison's Tender for the Lots Nos 10 & 11 North side of Water Street be accepted at $20.00 for the unoccupied part of them

Carried

Licence

Moved by Councillor C.J. Mattice and sec'd by the deputy Reeve that a Licence be granted to A. J. McArthur to keep one dog etc. below on payment of the regular amount viz $1.00 cc

Carried

Licence to A.J. McArthur

Moved by Councillor Wm Mattice Sec'd by Councillor Atchison that this Council now adjourn until Tuesday next the 9th inst at 7 O. Clock

Carried

John Keith
Clerk

approved
A. B. Calhoun
Reeve

Tuesday Eve'g 9/64

Council met Pursuant to adjournment

Present the Reeve the Deputy Reeve & Councillors Hunter McLennan Wm Mattice Atchison C.J. Mattice McPhail & Craig

Minutes of former meeting read and approved

Collectors Bond

Moved by Councillor Wm Mattice and Seconded by Councillor Atchison that the Bond given by Adam Elgh be received and read for approval

Carried

Collectors Bond filed

the Bond was then read

Moved by Councillor C.J. Mattice and Seconded by Councillor Hunter that the Bond given by Adam Elgh be approved and filed

Carried

Moved by Councillor Wm Mattice Sec'd by Councillor McLennan that the Bye Law for Levying the rate on the Dollar for the Town of Cornwall be amended by inserting Third instead of the Eighth and

Carried

Carried

The Bye-Law was accordingly read.

Petition for Relief of Blind

Moved by Councillor Craig & 2nd by Councillor Wm Mattice ~~that~~ the Petition for the Relief of the Blind be properly dyed and forwarded

Carried

Moved by Councillor C.J. Mattice & seconded by the Deputy Reeve that the Council now adjourn until Monday next the 15th inst at 7½ Oclock

Carried

John L Reid
Clerk

A. Bethune
Reeve

Monday Nov. 15th 1869

No meeting

Monday Nov. 29 1869

Regular Meeting

Present the Reeve the Deputy-Reeve & Councillors McLean Wm Mattice Hunter J.R. McLennan C.J. Mattice McNair & Atchison

Minutes of former Read and Approved

Moved by Councillor C.J. Mattice and seconded by Councillor Atchison

Polling places West Ward

That the Place for Holding the Election in the West Ward for Mayor Reeve Deputy Reeve & Councillor shall be the shop of

Ayes : also that the Returning Officer shall be Peter G. McLennan

Central Polling place & appointment of Ret'g Officer

That the place for holding the Election in the Centre Ward for Mayor Reeve Deputy-Reeve & Councillor shall be the Town Hall and the Returning Officer shall be James Dingwall

East Ward

That the place for holding the Election in the East Ward for Mayor Reeve & Deputy-Reeve & Councillor shall be the house of Arthur Scott and the Returning Officer shall be John T Smart

Carried.

By Law for the appointment of Ret'g Officers &c

Moved by Councillor McLean and seconded by the Deputy Reeve that the Bye-Law for the appointment of Polling places and Returning Officers for the municipality of the Town of Cornwall be read a first time

Carried

Bye-Law was accordingly read

By Law Amended

Moved by Councillor McLean & seconded by Councillor J. Mattice that the Bye-Law for the ~~appointment~~ of Polling places & Returning Officers be amended by inserting the "Deputy-Reeve"

Yeas: The Deputy-Reeve & Councillors McLean Wm Mattice & Van J. Mattice & Atchison

Nays Councillors J B McLennan & Hunter

Motion Carried

By-law

Moved by Councillor Atchison and Seconded by Councillor McPhee that the bye-Law for the appointment of polling places & Returning Officers as amended be read a 2nd & 3rd time passed and signed by the Reeve notwithstanding any Rule or Ordinance to the Contrary

Passed & Signed

Carried

The Bye-Law was accordingly read a 2nd & 3rd time passed & signed by the Reeve

Payment of accounts

It was moved by the Deputy-Reeve & Seconded by Councillor Wm Mattice that the following accounts be paid

Alexander Deeny Repairing window in Town Hall $ 0,35

Charles Robertson one days work ,90

Carried

Leave of absence to the Mayor

Moved by Councillor C.J. Mattice & Seconded by Councillor Atchison that a months Leave of Absence be granted to his Worship the Mayor

Amendment

Moved an amendment by Councillor J.B. McLennan & Seconded by Councillor Hunter that the Mayor be not granted a months Leave of absence

Yeas Councillors J.B. McLennan & Hunter

Nays the Deputy Reeve & Councillors McLean Wm Mattice McPhee C.J. Mattice & Atchison

Main Motion carried on same division

Moved by Councillor C.J. Mattice &
Seconded by Councillor Wm Mattice
That this Council do now adjourn
until Monday the 13th December
Carried

13th Dec 1869

Approved
Wm C Allen
Mayor

John Mutch
Clerk

Monday Dec 13th 1869

Regular Meeting

Present His Worship the Mayor the Reeve the
Deputy-Reeve & Councillors Wm Mattice, Atchison
Hunter & McPhie

Minutes of former Meeting read and
approved

By Law — Moved by the Reeve & seconded by the
Deputy-Reeve that A. Bye-law be passed & extending
the time from the 14th day of December
to the 1st day of March for the Return of the
Collectors Roll
Carried

Moved by the Reeve & Seconded by
Councillor Wm Mattice that the by-law be
read a 1st 2nd & 3rd time passed and
signed by the Mayor & that standing
any Rule or ordinance to the contrary
Carried

the By-law was accordingly
read a 1st 2nd & 3rd time passed and signed
by the Mayor

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve & Sec-
by Councillor McPhie that the following be
the pairs

Payment of Accounts

[illegible] 3.25
[illegible] 29.87
[illegible] 6.65
Michael Gallagher Work as per a/c 3.40
Solomon Barnhart Work as per a/c 2.46
Nelson Turner Wood 1.87½
George Hearne Montreal for Treasurers Book
Express & Collection 7.55
John Desrivier for taking old Woman Bury to Jail 2.00

Carried

Moved by the Reeve & Councillor Atchison that this Council now adjourn and do Stand adjourned until Monday Evening the 27th inst at 7½ o'clock

Carried

Wm Cox Allen.
Mayor.

Monday the 27th day 1869

No meeting

Monday 17th January 1870 10 o'clock A.M.

Regular Meeting

Present His Worship the Mayor the Reeve the deputy Reeve & Councillors McLean Wm Mattice Hunter Craig Atchison C.J. Mattice & Allen

Minutes of former meeting read and approved.

Appointment of Moved by the Reeve & seconded by Councillor C.J. Mattice that William Cox Allen be appoin-

Grammer School Trustee

ted Grammer School Trustee for the ensuring three years

Carried

By Law for Same

Moved by Councillor Wm Mattice & seconded by Councillor McLean that the by-Law for the appointment of William Cox Allen as Grammer School Trustee be read a 1st 2nd & 3rd time passed and signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the Contrary

Carried

The by-Law was accordingly read a 1st 2nd & 3rd time passed and signed by the Mayor

Payment

Moved by Councillor C. J. Mattice & seconded by Councillor Atchison that the following account be paid viz.

John Skeith 1/2 years Salary as clerk	$	25.00
Express charges & Cartage		.35
James Driscoll Returning Offi 3 days.		6.00
John Smart do do 2 "		4.00
P. J. McLennan do do 3 "		6.00
Nelson Turner Sundries as per a/c		22.53
Joseph Bowan & Antoni Stone work on Road		1.00
William J. Smith Filing etc		50
Thomas Murphy Cartage a/c		2.00
Henry Rowsell Voters List		1.25
J. Kilgour Sundries as per a/c		27.98
Francis Campbell 1/4 days work		2.50
John Devar Poll Clerk one day		1.00
John Kelly Constable one day		1.00
Angus Talbot 3 days use of shop Electric pump		6.00
Arthur Scott 2 " do do		4.00
Wm C. Allen Balloting for Jurors 1/2 years		28.00
Wm C. Allen Rent for Martins house to 1st January 10		6.00

Payment

James Kilgour Treasurer for 1869 $ 20.00
John Snetsinger Tavern Inspector do. 10.00
Neil McLean Insurance on Town Hall 22.50
William Aird Collector for 1868 60.00
Municipal Loan Fund (Bankable funds) 960.00
Common School Estimate for 1869 1550.00
County Treasurer for county rates 1038.26

Carried

By-law for Payment of Accounts

Moved by the Reeve & Sec^d by Councillor Mr. Mattice that the by-Law for the payment of all accounts for the year 1869 be now read a 1st 2nd & 3rd time passed and signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the contrary

Carried

The By-Law was accordingly read a 1st 2nd & 3rd time passed and signed by the Mayor

Vote

Councillors Mr. Mattice & John McPhee now Left the board their term of office having expired

It was moved by the Reeve & Seconded by Councillor McLean that the members of this Council at this their Last meeting cannot fail to express their regret that William Mattice & John MacPhee Esquires who have been their esteemed confreres for so many years, have considered it expedient owing to their great pressure of private business to withdraw from this council and refuse re-election, that this council cannot allow such seperation (which they sincerely hope will be only temporary) to take place without placing on their records the High Estimation in which they held in the feelings of this council and to bear

willing & cheerful testimony to their invaluable Services as members of this corporation which have ever been of a prudent, impartial and Zealous Character, and such as to merit the warmest Esteem of each and every member of this board and that a Copy of this resolution be forwarded to Messieurs Mattei and Machen Signed by the Mayor and Clerk on behalf of this Council with the official seal attached thereto

Thanks

Carried unanimously

John Keith
Town Clerk

17th January 1870

Approved

Wm Cox Esqr
Mayor

17th January 1870 12 Oclock noon

1st Meeting of new council

Declaration of Offices Filed

The Mayor. Reeve & Deputy Reeve & Councillors Gregor Mattici & Nelson Turner having filed the necessary declarations of Office & Qualification took their Seats when was present also Councillors C.J. Mattici McLean Atchison & Craig

appointment of Clerk

Moved by the Reeve & seconded by Councillor Atchison that John Skitt Jnr. be reappointed Town Clerk for the ensuing year at a Salary of fifty dollars per annum

Carried

appointment of Treasurer

Moved by the Reeve & secd by Councillor C.J. Mattici that James Kilgour be reappointed Town Treasurer for the ensuing year at a Salary of twenty-five dollars per annum

Carried

appointment of High Constable Street Surveyor Market Clerk Inspector of Weights & Measures Town property & Town Hall Guardian Hearse Tending

Moved by the Reeve & secd by Councillor C.J. Mattici that Samuel Pollock be reappointed High constable Street surveyor Market clerk inspector of weights & measures Town property & Town Hall Guardian (which includes Hearse tending and attendance on common school Trustees meetings) and general servant of this Corporation it being understood that the whole time of the said Samuel Pollock shall be at the disposal of the Corporation at the rate of ($220.00) two hundred & twenty dollars per annum and the Constable fees, to be paid monthly and that said appointment shall be during the pleasure of this council

Carried

&c &c

Appointment

Moved by Councillor C. J. Mattici & seconded by the Reeve that George S. Jarvis Junr be appointed Auditor for the ensuing year

Carried

Auditors

The Mayor appointed Wm Bethune as 2nd Auditor

Payment of Auditors Rate per day

Moved by Councillor C. J. Mattici seconded by the Reeve that the auditors be paid at the rate of two dollars for each day necessarily engaged at such audit and that they be further instructed and empowered to audit the Collectors Rolls of the past years and that their remuneration for same be two dollars per day

Carried

Appointment of Tavern Inspector

Moved by Councillor C. J. Mattici & seconded by Councillor Craig that Peter Gillis be appointed Tavern Licence inspector for the ensuing year at a salary of Ten Dollars

Moved in amendment by Councillor Atchison & seconded by Councillor McLean that John Metzinger be reappointed Tavern Inspector for the ensuing year at a salary of ten dollars per annum

Amendment Carried

Appointment of Pound Keepers

Moved by Councillor Atchison seconded by Councillor Gregor Mattici that Samuel Pollock John Moor & Alexander Rivier be appointed pound keepers for the ensuing year

Carried

Appointment of Fence Viewers

Moved by the Reeve & seconded by Councillor Atchison that Angus Talbot & Robert McCutcheon be appointed fence viewers for this Town for the ensuing year

Carried

By Law

Moved by Councillor Gregor Mattici Secd by Councillor Turner that the by-Law for the appointment of municipal officers for this Town for the ensueing year be now read a 1st 2nd & 3rd time passed and Signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordernance to the contrary

Carried

The by-Law was accordingly read a 1st 2nd & 3rd time passed & Signed by the Mayor

Appointment of assessor & Collector

Moved by the Reeve & secd by ~~the~~ Councillor Gregor Mattici that Adam Eligh be appointed Assessor & Collector for the ensueing year at a Salary of one Hundred & twenty dollars per annum ($120.00)

Carried

Notice of By Law for licenceing Carters Hirers Stable keepers

Councillor C. J. Mattici gave notice that he would at next meeting of Council introduce a by-Law for the Licensing of Carters & Livery Stables

The Council then adjourned to meet on monday the 31st day of January at 7½ Oclock P.M.

John Skeith
Town Clerk

Approved
Wm C. Allen
Mayor.

January 31st 1870
Regular Meeting

Present His Worship the Mayor the Reeve the Deputy Reeve & Councillors Gregor Mattici C. J. Mattici, Turner & Atchison

Declaration of A Hodge Filed

Andrew Hodge Esq Filed the necessary declaration and Qualification of office and

him took his seat,

Minutes of former meeting were read and approved

Appointment of Pound Keeper

Moved by Councillor C. J. Mattice and seconded by the Reeve that William Clark be appointed Pound Keeper for the ensuing year

Carried

Payment of Accounts

Moved by the Reeve and seconded by Councillor Atchison that the following accounts be paid viz

David Carpenter & Edward Demmo for Hoarding in 1868 ——— $14.50

Thomas Smith Removing Stove & putting up pipes ——— 1.00

Carried

Auditors Report

Moved by the Reeve and seconded by the Deputy-Reeve that the Auditors Report for the year 1869 be received and read

Carried

The Report being read, it was then moved by the Reeve and Seconded by the Deputy Reeve that the said Report be Submitted to the Financial Committee and that they be authorized to have same published in pamphlet form

Carried

Finance Committee

Moved by Councillor C. J. Mattice and Seconded by the Reeve that the following Members of Council constitute the finance Committee for the ensueing year Councillors Hodge, C. Mattice, & Nelson Turner

Carried

Road Committee

Moved by Councillor C.J. Mattice Seconded by the Reeve and Carried that the Mayor, the Deputy-Reeve Councillors Atchison, McMillan & the mover act as Road committee for the ensueing year

Royal Arms Framed

Moved by the Reeve and seconded by Councillor Turner that the Royal arms in Town Hall be suitably framed

Carried

adjournment

Moved by the Reeve & seconded by the Deputy Reeve that this council do now adjourn until Monday February the 14th inst at half past seven Oclock P.M.

Carried

John Smith
Town Clerk

Approved
Wm Allen
Mayor

no meeting

Monday Feby 14th 1870

Present His Worship the mayor the Deputy Reeve & Councillor Hodge

John Smith
Clerk

Cornwall Feby 26th 1870

Special Meeting

for the purpose of granting Tavern Licenses

The Council met this evening as per summons issued by order of His Worship the Mayor to take into consideration the granting of Tavern & Shop Licence Certificates to parties making application and was present His Worship the mayor The Reeve, the Deputy-Reeve and Councillors Atchison Turner. Hodge C.J. Mattice. McLean & J. Mattice

motion

it was moved by the Reeve and seconded by Councillor Gregor Mattice that certificates of Licence

Certificates

Tavern Licenses

Certificates 2.

Merchants

Adjournment

no Meeting

Payments

be granted to the following parties for keeping Tavern in the Town of Cornwall viz
Adam Wagner, John Denney, Mrs Thos Dunkin
John Broderick, Michael McEnvoy, Tobias Myers
Ranald McDonald, Alexander McDonald,
John B. McKenzie,
Also, that Certificates of Shop Licence be granted to the following parties viz:
P. E. Adams, A. McFarlan & Co, G & R, McDonald
The Inspector of Licences having granted the necessary certificates

Carried -

The Council then adjourned until Monday Evening the 14th March at 7½ Oclock

Approved

John Keith
Town Clerk

Wm. J. Allen.
Mayor.

Cornwall March 14th 1870

no. Meeting

J. Skeith Clerk

Cornwall March 28th 1870
Regular Meeting

Present His Worship the Mayor the Deputy Reeve & Councillors Hodge & McAttee Craig & McAttee Turner and Atchison

The minutes of the two former meetings were read and approved

Moved by Councillor Craig and seconded by Councillor Atchison that the following accounts be paid having first been examined and certified to by the finance committee

- Andrew Hodge 55 Thos for
Mrs Solomon Anderson $2.25

of

R Smetsinger Work etc as per acc $ 7.37
John Keith Pipes & Wire ~~~~ 1.05
John Dewar To cleaning & filling Engine House 1.50
John Smetsinger to 8 bushels Lime @ 25¢ 2.00
Wm Mack To Flour for Indigent Persons 22.42½
A.P. Ross " Coffins Wood &c as per acc 12.76
Mr Margerson for 1¾ Cords Wood for Hall 4.75
D McDonald To 1 Load Wood for John Smith 3.00

accounts

Carried

By Law

Councillor C.J. Mattice gave notice that at the next meeting of Council he would introduce a By Law for the throwing open the Macadamized Road one and after the 1st of May next also for the Licencing of Carters & Livery Keepers

adjournment

Moved by Councillor C.J. Mattice & seconded by Councillor D. Mattice & carried that this Council do now adjourn and do stand adjourned until Monday the 11th inst at 7.30 o'clock

Approved
Wm F. Allen.
Mayor.

John Keith
Town Clerk

Renfrew April 11. 1870

Regular Meeting

Present His Worship the Mayor the Reeve Deputy Reeve & councillors Hodge C.J. Mattice D. Mattice Atchison & Craig

Minutes of former meeting were read and approved

payment

Moved by the Deputy Reeve and seconded by the Reeve that the following acc be paid viz

appropriation

John Adams as Making Coffin for Keeper Christie died the 15th May 1865 at Kings S. McKinnell $2.00

Carried

purchased

Telegram from A.J. McDonald for the Centre

A Telegram was received from Mr A. J. McDonald as Chairman of Jail committee asking us to hold our Council Room for the Celebration of prisoners during the repairs of the Common Jail

Lockups

It was then moved by Councillor C.J. Mattice and seconded by Councillor Craig that the sum of ten dollars a week be charged to the Counties Council for the use of Lockups & Room and that the details be arranged by the Mayor and Committee

Carried

James Myers Tender

Moved by Councillor C.J. Mattice and seconded by Councillor Atchison That the amount of James Myers Tender for repairing Mountain Road open during last winter be paid minus the amount expended by Corporation

Carried

Councillor C.J. Mattice was unable to produce the By Laws of Work done but stated he has been given but would do so at a subsequent meeting

Adjournment

Moved by C.J. Mattice and seconded by Councillor Craig That this Council do now adjourn until this night week

Carried

John Smith
Tp. Clerk
27th April 1870

Approved
Wm. P. Allen
Mayor.

Adjournment

Council April 20th 1870

Present the Worship the Mayor in the Chair and Deputy Reeve Councillors Ridge C.J. Mattice Craig Rathbun & Jones

Was transacted subsequently Councillors Turner Atchison filed their appearance when it was resolved to adjourn until the Evening of Wednesday the 27th inst at 8 Oclock

Cornwall April 27th 1875

The Council met pursuant to adjournment Present, his worship the Mayor the Reeve the Deputy Reeve and Councillors Hodge, Atchison Craig J. Mattice Sumner & C. Mattice

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved

Toll Keeper to be discharged

Moved by the Reeve and seconded by Councillor Craig that the Toll Keeper be discharged, that the Toll be collected and that the Mayor be authorized to Let the Toll Keepers Residence which will then be vacant

Carried

Clerk to advertize for Tenders

Moved by Councillor Craig and seconded Councillor C. Mattice, that the Clerk be authorized to advertize for tenders until monday the 23rd day of may next for the erection and completion of a stone drain down Pitt Street according to plan & specification which may may be seen at the clerks office

Carried

Mayor Authorized to prepare By-law for Levying a Special Assessment

Moved by the Reeve and seconded by the Deputy Reeve that the Mayor be authorized to have a By-Law prepared for the purpose of levying a special assessment on the property on Pitt Street benifitted by the main sewer

Carried

Side Walk

The Reeve & Councillor Hodge requested permission to repair the side walk from the Canal Bridge to the Government Shed on the south side of the Canal permission granted

Assessment Roll Returned

The Clerk notified the Council that the assessment roll was returned when it was moved by Councillor C. Mattice & seconded by the Deputy Reeve that the following

Court of Revision

members of Council constitute the Court of Revision for the present year viz the Reeve Councillors Craig, Atchison G. Matteci + Mc Lean and that said Court meet on Monday the 23rd day of May next at the hour of 10 O'clock A.M. and that the Clerk notify all concerned

Carried

Moved by G. Matteci & seconded by Councillor C.J. Matteci that this Council do now adjourn and do Stand adjourned until Monday the 23rd of May next at 8 O'clock P.M.

Carried

Adjournment

John Smith
Town Clerk

Wm L. Allen
Mayor

Cornwall May 23/70

no Meeting

Present His Worship the Mayor the Reeve and Deputy Reeve ~~there not being a quorum present no business was transacted~~

John Smith
Clerk

Cornwall Jan 1st 1870

Special Meeting

Present His Worship the Mayor the Reeve the Deputy-Reeve & councillors Lodge C.J. Matteci. Sarrazin & Craig

The Mayor explained the purport of the meeting. it was then moved by the Reeve and seconded by Councillor Craig that this Council consider it desirable and expedient to present an address

Explanation of Meeting

to

Address to Lieut Colo Atcherly and through him to the Officers and non commissioned Officers and men of the different battalions at present doing duty here expressive of the good conduct and soldierly bearing of all during their residence here and that the Mayor Councillors Dodge and J. Mattice and the mover & seconder be a committee to ~~prepare~~ prepare such address and that same be presented to Lieut Colo Atcherly this evening previous to his departure and that all the members of the Council be present at such presentation

Lieut Colo Atcherly

Officers & Men

Reception & address

The Address was presented to Lieut Colo Atcherly and the various commanding Officers at the Quarters of the Commandant and was graciously received received by him on behalf of himself and the different members of the garrison and was suitably replied to by him

18th July 1870

John Skeith
Town Clerk

Approved
Wm Loucks
Mayor.

Cornwall June 6th 1870
John Skeith Clerk

No Meeting — no meeting

Cornwall June 20th/70

No Meeting — Councillor Craig present
John Skeith Clerk

Cornwall July 4th 1870

No Meeting — no meeting

Cornwall July 18th 1870

Regular Meeting
Present His Worship the Mayor
the Deputy Reeve & Councillors

McLean S. Matheci, Craig, Hodge & C. J. Matheci

Minutes Read — the minutes of the former meeting were read and approved

it was moved by Councillor C. J. Matheci and seconded by the Deputy Reeve that the following ~~a/c~~ be paid viz

Payment

Express Co as per a/c		$ 1.75½
C. D. Edwards for Safe $110.00		110.00
Freight on Same		3.16
John Dolbert	Work as per a/c	5.93
Frank	Work on road	1.50
John Devan	Repg. Bridges	4.25
Pascar	for fire works	22.25
Remy Rowsell	Blank Order Book	2.35
do do	Assessment Blanks	.90
Charles Barnhart	Work as per a/c	3.15
Joseph Dozois	do do	1.12½
John McDonald	Straw for Emigrants	1.50
William Irons	Glazing Glass in Book of Hall	60
51 pieces Wall paper & Freight		13.00
John G. Hunter	Coal Oil	.40
James Kilgour	Provisions for Emigrants	9.50
Charles Robinson	Work as per a/c	16.02½
James Fraser	" " " "	6.80
Robert Watson	do do	2.92½
William Walker	do do	5.40
William Moor	do	10.00
George McConnel	do	10.00
Daniel McCarty		5.17½
A. McKercher		3.90
Mrs Irwin		1.25
Joseph Dozois		97
Robert [illegible]		9.90
Joseph Labeau		1.80
Henry Crawford	1½ days work with team	3.00

Payment of accounts

Charles Victors Work as per a/c $8.45
A. J. Pell Portrait Frame Freight Charges 30.65
Michael Sullivan Work on Wharf 5.00
A. McLean Printing as per a/c 15.46
D. & M. McDonald Mc Loadwood for John Smith 2.00

Carried

High Constable to see that the By-Law is Strictly Carried out with regard to Taverns

Moved by Councillor Hodge and seconded by Councillor S. Mattice that the High Constable be requested to see that the By-Law is strictly carried out with regard to Taverns and other General Sabath desecration

Carried

Clerk to notify Town Council re Tenders for Main Sewer

Moved by Councillor Hodge & seconded by Councillor McLean that the Clerk be authorized & notify the township Council that this Corporation have ceased to collect tolls on the macadamized Leading to Eamers Corners and that they assign all Claims thereto and that consequently the said Township Council

Carried

it was resolved that the tenders for building Main Sewer should not be opened but should be returned to parties tendering for the work and that tenders be asked for at or at a subsequent period for same

also that the Grass be thoroughly dispersed and that all weeds & thistles be cut down, and that the Street Surveyor shall see that all parties shall cut down all weeds & thistles growing on their respective grounds, he shall also notify all parties whose fences are upon the public road to move immediately

Not to be Expended

adjournment

Moved by Councillor S. J. Mattice & seconded by the Deputy Reeve & Carried that this Council do now adjourn and do stand adjourned until this night fortnight at 8 O Clock

John Skeith
Tsm Clerk

no Meeting

No Meeting

Cornwall August 1st 1870
John Skeith Clerk

no Meeting

Cornwall Augst 15th 1870
Present. His Worship the mayor the Reeve & Councillor Craig there not being a quorum no business was transacted
J. Skeith
Clerk

no Meeting

Cornwall August 29. 1870
Monday Evening
The Members present, were his Worship the Mayor. the Reeve & Councillor Craig
J Skeith
Clerk

12th September 1870

Regular Meeting

Present The Mayor, the Reeve. Deputy Reeve and Councillors Craig. McIntosh & Turner

Proposed by the Reeve Seconded by the Deputy. Reeve that the Council do now adjourn

adjournment

Council

Adjourn until Tomorrow Evening at 7.30 O Clock

Carried.

The Council then arose

John Keith
Town Clerk

1st September 1870

Adjourned Meeting

Present, The Mayor Reeve, Deputy-Reeve and Councillors, McLean Atchison, Craig C. Mattice & Turner

Moved by Councillor McLean Seconded by Councillor Craig that the following a/cs be paid viz

Payment

John McVicar	Lumber as per bill	$ 40.05
Wm Kent	Hemlock Lumber as per bill	3.74
Hamilton McAttee	building 65 rods of 5 ton side walk	33.50
John Barnhart	Work with horses on roads	8.75
Robt Clark	Work on Roads	5.50
Wm Walker	do do	15.50
Wm Baily	do do	48.42½
George Baily	do do	1.25
Charles Robinson	do do	37.50
Henry Schuster	do do	40.29
Joseph Mellon	do do	25.00
Chs Robinson	do do	23.50
Stephen Stiff	Work on Fire Engine	3.50
Walter Blyth	do do do	5.75
Donald Fullerton	Work on Roads	34.20
Philip Corbeiter	do do	39.50
Steam Salaberry	for Freight	6.00

Amt. Brt. Forward

William Whitford	working on Road		$ 5.25
Patrick Hennessy	do	do	2.00
John Smith	do	do	2.00
Peter Baker	do	do	2.40
William Moor	do	do	45.12½
Logan & Chamberlain	Plans for Sewers		15.00
Brown Bros.	for Nails for Side Walks		75.25
Freight on same			2.49
W.G. Mallister	Telegrapht a/c		5.50
Indigent person			3.00
Geo. Hourn	for Treasurers Book		7.50
Geo. B. Jarvis	as Auditors 7 days		14.00
Wilkins & Bell	do	do	4.00
John Skuth	½ Years Salary		25.00
De Zouche & Co	paper for Town Hall		21.25
James Kilgour	Sundries as per bill		30.07
Dr. McDonald	On a/c of Cruby Sewer		111.70
John Jackaway	for Plastering		2.00

Carried

Moved by Councillor McLean Seconded by Deputy Reeve that the By-law for levying the Rate in the Dollar on all personal & Real Estate in this Municipality for the Current year be now read a first time

Carried

The By-law was accordingly read a first time

Moved by Councillor Walker Seconded by Councillor Hutchison that the By-law just read be now read a second & third time passed and signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any Rule or Order to the Contrary

Carried

By. Law read a 2nd & 3rd time

The [illegible] accordingly read a Second & third time passed and Signed by the Mayor

adjournment

The meeting then adjourned to monday the 27th inst at 7.30 Oclock

Corporation

John Smith
Clerk
y.t. Nov. 1870

Wm. C. Allen.
Mayor.

Monday 7th Nov. 1870

Regular Meeting

Present The Mayor the Reeve & Councrs Craig G. Mattice Atchison & Turner

Minutes of former meeting read and approved

Motion

The mayor read a Communication from the mayor of Toronto presenting a copy of By Laws of the City of Toronto,

Thanking Mayor of Toronto for copy of By-Laws

which it was moved by the Reeve and seconded by Councillor Mattice that the Thanks of this Corporation are due and that the same be presented to the mayor & Corporation of the City of Toronto for their Gift of said By Laws and that a Letter acknowledge same be sent to the mayor & Corporation of Toronto Thanking them for their Kindness

Carried

payment of accounts

Moved by Councillor Atchison & seconded by Councillor Craig that the following accounts be paid viz. Hugh McCallum Sen.

Work on Side Walks as foreman $42.00

Payment

✓ Brown Bros for Spikes for Side Walks $ 32.75
✓ Alexr H McDonald Work on 9th Street being half amt for work on Same 86.86
✓ John F. Smart Expence sending four persons to Prescot per Steamer 7.5
✓ Mrs John Bruin Billeting Volunteers 2.40
✓ Joseph Breuno do do 2.00
✓ Wagner & Smart Horse & Buggy Hire 9 days & Cutter during Fenian raid 3.00
✓ Mrs Anderson & Others for Cleaning Town Hall 2.10
✓ Henry Powell a/c for Blanks as per Bills
~~Estimate for Common Schools for 1871 1650.00~~
✓ Wm Mattice & Sons for Sundries as per bill 28.97
✓ Charles Robinson Work on Roads 27.00 27.00
✓ William Bailey do do 12.50
✓ William Moor do do 30.50
✓ Henry Silmser do do 6.87½
✓ Peter Barker do do 2.25
✓ Daniel Cameron do do 13.25
✓ William Walker do do 14.50
✓ Michael Revier do do 4.75
✓ Alexander Barnhart do do 5.00
✓ Phillip Carpenter do do 26.50
✓ William Wood do do 29.25
✓ James McComel do do 25.00
✓ Donald Calmyer do do 22.00
✓ David Silmser do do 25.00
✓ George McComel do do 23.50
✓ John Barnhart do do 32.37½
✓ Daniel Gillespie do do 39.87½
✓ John Talbot " " 2.92½
✓ Jordan & Benard for Plank for Side Walks 1140.00

Accounts

Be Motion of Councillor Turner seconded by Councillor Craig that the sum of $ 1250.00 Estimate for 1870 be placed to the

Credit of the Board of Common School Trustees

Carried

Moved by Councillor Turner seconded by Councillor Craig that the Mayor be authorized to Consult the firm of Blake Kerr & Bethune of Toronto in order to ascertain the power of the Corporation to levy a special assessment for building a main sewer from the Canal to 2nd Street in Pitt Street and also as to the power of the Corporation to discontinue improvements on the macadamized road from the rear of this Town to Camers Corners

Mayor to Consult Blake Kerr & Bethune

Carried

Moved by the Reeve & seconded by Councillor Atchison that tenders be asked for the supply of a certain Quantity of Broken Stone (Lime) and also Stone and Flags Suitable for building Drains in Pitt Street

Tenders

Tenders to be received by the Road Committee until the Evening of Monday the 14th inst at 7.30 O'Clock

Carried

Moved by the Reeve and seconded by Councillor G. Wallace that this Council do now adjourn until this night week at 7.30 O'Clock

Adjournment

Carried

Approved
Wm Lee Allen
Mayor.

John Keith
Town Clerk

Monday Evening Nov. 14th

No Meeting

No Meeting

John Keith Clerk

Special Meeting

Wednesday December 7th 1870

Present

His Worship the Mayor the Reeve and Councillors McLean Craig Hodge and Atchison

Appointment of Returning Officers

Moved by the Reeve and seconded by Councillor McLean that James Bignell Barrister be appointed Returning Officer for the Centre Ward of this Town at the ensuing municipal elections and that said Elections be held in the Town Hall on the west side of Pitt Street in said Town

That John F. Smart be appointed Returning Officer for the East ward of this Town at the ensuing municipal Elections at that said Elections be held at the House of Widow Scott situated on Lot No 3 North side of second Street

and

That Peter G. McLennan be appointed Returning Officer for the west ward of this Town at the Ensuing municipal Elections and that said Elections be held in the work shop of Angus Talbot situated on Lot No 26 north side of second Street in said Town

Polling Places

Carried

By Law

Moved by Councillor Hodge and seconded Councillor Atchison that the By Law for the appointment of Returning Officers and Polling places for the Coming municipal Elections be read a first time

Carried

Read a 1st time

The By-Law was accordingly read a first time

By Law

Passed

Signed

Notice of Introduction of Several By Laws

Moved by the Reeve and seconded by Comr Craig that the By-Law for the appointment of Returning Officers and Polling Places be read a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the Contrary

Carried

The By-Law was accordingly read a 2nd & 3rd time passed and signed by the Mayor

The Mayor gave notice that he would at the next meeting of Council Introduce several By Laws

The Council then arose

Approved

John Skeith
Clerk

Wm Con Allen
Mayor

no Meeting

Corwall Monday Dec 13

Present His Worship the Mayor the Reeve and Councillor G. Mattice

J. Skeith
Clerk

December 19th 1870

Special Meeting

A. P. Ross released as Bail for A. Eligh

a meeting of the Council was called this day at 11 O'Clock for the purpose of releasing Alexander P. Ross as Bail for Adam Eligh the present Collector

Present the Mayor the Reeve the Deputy Reeve and Councillors G. Mattice Atchison, Craig G. Mattice & Hodge

Moved by Councillor Hodge seconded by Councillor Atchison that Alexander P. Ross be released as bail for the present Collector

Chas Rattray accepted

and that Chas Rattray be accepted instead

Carried Unanimously

The Council then rose

John Skeith
Clerk

Approved
Wm Lea Allen.
Mayor.

Cornwall January 13th 1871
Special Meeting

A special meeting was called this Evening for the purpose of passing By-Laws passing accounts and other General Business

Present his worship the mayor the Reeve, Deputy-Reeve & Councillors Atchison Hodge, Craig & G. Mattice

D. J. Dickinson resignation as Grammer School Trustee

The mayor read a letter from W.J. Dickinson resigning his position as Grammer school Trustee which on motion was accepted

D. McLennan appointed Trustee

moved by the Reeve seconded by Councillor Craig that Duncan McLennan Esq. be reappointed Grammer school Trustee for the ensuing three years

Carried

J. J. Pringle appointed instead of W. J. Dickinson Resigned

Moved by Councillor Hodge seconded by the Deputy-Reeve that J. J. Pringle Esq be appointed Grammer School Trustee in the room and stead of W. Dickinson whose resignation has been accepted

Carried

Moved by the Reeve and seconded by the Deputy-Reeve that the By-Laws for

By Law for the appt. of Grammer School Trustees read a 1st 2nd & 3rd time

The appointment of Grammer School Trustees be now read a first, Second & third time passed and signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the contrary

Carried

The By-Laws were accordingly read a 1st 2nd & 3rd time passed & signed by the Mayor

Letters Filed from Blake, Kerr & Bethune

The Mayor Filed Letters received by him from Messrs Blake, Kerr & Bethune in reference to the keeping open of the macadamized Road and also with regard to the main sewer on pitt Street which on motion were ordered to be filed

Motion

moved by the Reeve Seconded by Councillor Gregor Mattice that the By-Laws Numbers One, being an act to prevent the erection of buildings or trespass of any kind upon the public streets of this Town, Two, being an act respecting Gambling and Gambling Houses, Three being an act to provide for the sale and weight of bread, Four being an act for the regulation of the streets, sidewalks etc. and for the preservation & order and suppression of nuisances therein, Five an act to provide for the appointment of pound keepers and to regulate pounds, Six an act for the appointment of an Inspector of weights and measures and to regulate weights, measures &c, Seven an act to restrain and punish vagrants and disorderly persons, Eight an act for the regulation and maintenance of a meat market, Nine an act to

By Laws 1 to prevent Trespass etc etc to regulate Weights & Measures etc etc

By Laws to regulate Tavern & Shop Licences

regulate and govern Tavern and Shop Licence Certificate and Tax, being an Act to regulate and licence billard rooms be now read a first time and that the further consideration and readings of same be deferred until the Evening of Tomorrow (Saturday) at Seven o'clock P.M.

Carried

By-Laws read 1st time

All the above By-Laws were accordingly read a first time

adjournment

it was then moved by Councillor Hodge seconded by Councillor Atchison That this Council do now adjourn and stand adjourned until Tomorrow Saturday Evening at 7 O'Clock

Carried

Signed
Wm Lee Allen
Mayor.

John Keith
Town Clerk

Cornwall January 14. 1871

Adjourned Meeting

The Council met pursuant to adjournment

Present the Mayor the Reeve, Deputy-Reeve & Councillors Hodge, C.J. Mattice, Craig McLean Turner Atchison & E. Mattice

Minutes of former meeting were read and approved

By-Law No 11 read a 1st time

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and Seconded by Councillor McLean that By-Law number Eleven be read a first time Carried

The By Law was accordingly read a first time

Motions

Moved by Councillor McLean seconded by Councillor Turner that By Laws

By Law read a second and third time & passed

numbered one, two, three, four, five, six seven eight nine & ten be now read a second and third time passed and signed by the mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the contrary

Amendment to By Law No 10

Moved in amendment by the mover seconded by Councillor Lodge that By-Law number Ten, being an act to regulate and License Billiard Tables be not now read a second time but that it be read this day six months

Amendment lost and original motion Carried

The foregoing By. Laws were accordingly read a second & third time passed and signed by the Mayor

By Law No 11 read a second and third time

it was then moved by Councillor Craig seconded by Councillor Atchison that By Law numbered Eleven being an act for regulating and Licensing theatres Circuses and other shows and Exhibitions be now read a second & third time passed and signed by the mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the contrary

The By-Law was accordingly read a second & third time passed and signed by the mayor

Payment of accounts

Moved by Mr. Reeve seconded by Councillor Atchison that the following accounts be paid Viz

David McCracken for Meat for Poor Man $ 2.60
✓ William Mattice & Sons Sundries as per acct $ 4.31
✓ John Keith 1/2 year Salary & Bell Ringing 29.00
✓ William Irons Papering Town Hall painting

Yeas &c

36.12½

payment

✓	William J Smith Felling saw etc as per a/c	$ 3.05
✓	Nelson Turner Sundries as per a/c	26.50
✓	Neil McLean Insurance on Town Hall	22.50
✓	Adam Eagle Collecting for 6d Assessor for 7d Ballots Surv	124.00
✓	James Dingwell Returning Officer 3 days	6.00
✓	John Smart " " 2 "	4.00
✓	P. G. M[illegible] " " 2 "	4.00
✓	Widow Arthur Scott Use of House 2 " for Election purposes	4.00
✓	Angus Talbot use of House 2 days for Election purposes	4.00
✓	D & J. Robinson for scantling for side walks	168,59
✓	Henry Silmser for 2 loads wood for Town Hall	6,62½
✓	" " for wood for Indigent persons	8.50
✓	G Burden & Co printing as per a/c	6,50
✓	Mr Hollister Telegraph a/c	2.06
✓	De Zouche Bro. paper & Express Charges etc	1.85
✓	J. Craig Freight etc. of deals from Montreal	128,70
✓	Henry Smith work on side walks 18½ days	18,50
✓	Robert Craig for Bark etc	13.80
✓	Alexander Anderson work on roads	18.00
✓	David Silmser " "	9.50
✓	Phillip Smitsenger " "	12.00
✓	Phillip Carpenter " "	10.00
✓	Henry Silmser " "	8.43½
✓	James Silmser " "	6.00
✓	John Anderson " "	5.00
✓	Charles Robinson " "	5.50
✓	John Leralli " "	2.50
✓	John Barnhart " "	4.50
✓	J Kilgour $ 35.74 Sundries as per a/c	35.74
✓	Donald McMillan Sundries " " "	9.45
+	Thos Murphy for drawing plank etc.	46,25
account	J. E. Adams Sundries as per a/c	81,61
	John McPhee " " " "	37.07½
	Salary To Treasurer J. Kilgour	25.00

payment of accounts

James McConnell being payment for one half of work done on Eastern boundary road $32.25
John Jessmer for deals for side walk 12,44½

adjournment

Moved by Councillor Craig Secd by the Deputy-Reeve That this Council do now adjourn and do stand adjourned until the morning of monday next the 16th inst at 10 Oclock

Carried

The Council then adjourned

John Keith
Clerk

Approved
Wm C. Allen
Mayor.

Cornwall 16 January 1871
10 Oclock A.M.

Council met pursuant to adjournment.
Present the mayor, Reeve, Deputy-Reeve and Councillors Atchison C.J. Mattice Hodge McLean G. Mattice Turner & Craig

Minutes of former meeting were read and approved.

By-Law for the payment of accounts for the year

Moved by the Reeve seconded by the Deputy-Reeve That the By-Law for the payment of all accounts for the past year be now read a first second and third time passed and signed by the mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the contrary.

The By-Law was accordingly read a first, second and third time passed and signed by the mayor

Moved by Councillor C. J. Mattice
Councillor Hodge in the Chair
seconded by The Deputy-Reeve That The Mayor do now Leave The Chair and that Counr Hodge do take The same Carried

The Mayor accordingly left The Chair & Council Room and Councillor Hodge took The Same whereupon it was moved by Councillor C. J. Mattice and seconded by The Deputy-Reeve (William Mackay Esq)
Motion

That The following Address be presented To William Cox Allen Esq our mayor for The Last Eight years

That The members of This Council at This their Last meeting do express their
Address
regret That William Cox Allen Esquire M.P. has considered it fitting That he should withdraw from The office of Chief Magistrate of The Town of Cornwall. That This Council cannot allow such retirement to take place without putting
Presented
on record an expression of The high esteem in which now, as in The past he is held by This Council, and of their testimony to The invaluable services rendered by him as Councillor and Mayor of This Town services which have always been of a prudent, Zealous, and impartial character meriting The highest approval and most sincere thanks of every member of This board. And That This small token of our appreciation of his long and faithful services This Council do grant him The sum of Sixteen Hundred dollars. And That This Council do authorize

Wm C. Allen Esq

The Chairman to sign an order upon the Treasurer for the said amount.

And be it further resolved that a Copy of this resolution, duly engrossed, be forwarded to William Cox Allen Esq M.P. signed by the Chairman and the Clerk of this Council with the Official seal of this Corporation attached thereto.

Carried Unanimously

Mayor recalled and takes the Chair

The Mayor was then recalled and on motion of Councillor C.J. Mattucci seconded by Councillor Ketchison that Councillor Hodge do leave the chair and that the Mayor do take the same.

When Councillor C.J. Mattucci presented the Mayor with a copy of the above resolution and Council ~~adjourned~~ then dissolved

Council dissolved

Correct

January 16th 1871
11½ Oclock A.M.

John S. Keith
Clerk

Wm C. Allen
Mayor

Cornwall January 16th 1871.

12 Oclock

1st Meeting of new Council

Present

Angus Bethune Esq Mayor William Mack Esq Reeve, C. S. Mattice Esq Deputy - Reeve Alexander McLean, Nelson Turner and William Atchison Esquires Councillors Elected for the East ward also Gregor Mattice C. N. Adams and Alexander P. Ross Esquires Councillors elected for the west ward and also Andrew Hodge Robert Craig and William Cox Allen Esquires Councillors Elected for the Centre ward of this Town all of whom filed the necessary declarations of Office and Qualification & took their seats

new Council

Moved by Councillor Hodge seconded by Councillor Gregor Mattice that John S Keith be appointed Clerk for the Ensuing year at a salary of $75.00 Seventy-five dollars per annum Carried

Appointment of John S Keith as Clerk

Moved by Councillor Allen seconded by the Reeve that Hugh Murchison be appointed Auditor for this Corporation for the Ensuing year at a Salary of Two Dollars per day when actually engaged

Appointment of Hugh Murchison as Auditor

Carried

The Mayor appointed Duncan Monroe as auditor for the ensuing year at a Salary of Two Dollars per day when engaged

D. Monroe named as Second Auditor

Appointment of Treasurer

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve seconded by Councillor Atchison that James Kilgour be reappointed Treasurer for the ensuing year at the same salary viz: Twenty-five Dollars per annum said James Kilgour furnishing the necessary sureties

Carried

Appointment of Henry Silmser as High Constable Chief Surveyor Market Clerk Inspector of Weights & Measures Town Property Town Hall Guardian

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve seconded by the Reeve that Henry Silmser be appointed, High Constable, Chief Surveyor, Market Clerk, Inspector of Weights & Measures, Town Property & Town Hall guardian, (which includes Hearse tending and attendance on common School Trustees) and General servant of this Corporation it being understood that the whole time of the said Henry Silmser shall be at the disposal of the Corporation at the Rate of ($220.00) Two Hundred and Twenty Dollars per annum and the Constables Fees, To be paid monthly and that said appointment shall be during the pleasure of this Council

Carried

John Moor appointed pound keeper for East Ward

Moved by Councillor Allen and seconded by the Deputy-Reeve that John Moor be appointed Pound Keeper for the East Ward of this Town and that said pound shall be on Lot (No 9) number nine on the north side of Eighth Street

Wm Clark for the West Ward

That Wm Clark be appointed Pound Keeper for the west ward of this Town and that said pound shall be on Lot number Twenty-five on the South

side of Second Street

and that Daniel Carpenter and Henry Silverser be appointed pound-keepers for the Centre ward of this Town that their pounds shall be kept on Lot number (16) sixteen on the south side of Eighth Street and Lot number sixteen on the south side of fourth Street respectively

Carried

Henry Silverser Appointed pound Keeper for the Centre Ward

By Law for the appt of municipal Officers read a 1st 2nd & 3rd time & passed

Moved by Councillor Atchison Seconded by Councillor Ross that the By-Law for the appointment of municipal officers for the Town of Cornwall be now read a first, second and third time passed and signed by the mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the contrary

Carried

The By-Law was accordingly read a first, second and third time passed and signed by the mayor

appointment of a committee to wait on Town Council re connection with the Macadamized road

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve & Seconded by Councillor McLean that the Reeve & Councillors Hodge & Allen be a Committee to wait on the Township of Cornwall Council re connection with the Macadamized road and that they be empowered to take such action thereon as to them may seem best

Carried

Notice of By-Law for the licencing of Carters

Councillor Allen gave notice that at next meeting of Council he would introduce By-Laws for the Licencing of Carters & Livery-Stable Keepers and also Orders to be observed by members at this Council board

adjournment of Council

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve seconded by Councillor McLean that this Council do now adjourn and do stand adjourned until the Evening of monday next the 23rd inst at 7 Oclock

Carried

The Council then Adjourned

approved

John Smith
Clerk

A. Bethune
Mayor

Monday January 23rd 1871
Adjourned Meeting

The Council met pursuant to adjournment. The members present were his worship the Mayor the Reeve, the Deputy-Reeve and Councillors Allen, Turner, Adams Mattice Ross & Atchison

declaration of office

The Clerk filed the necessary declaration of office and then took his seat

Minutes of the former meeting were read and approved

£30. refunded W^m Orr part of Transient Traders Licence

Moved by Councillor W. C. Allen and seconded by the Deputy-Reeve that the Treasurer be authorized to pay over to W^m Orr the sum of Thirty-Dollars (£30^00), being part of Transient Traders Licence and that should the said W^m Orr reside in this Town for one year the balance (being Ten) (£10^00) will also be refunded

Carried

Payment of Salary

Moved by Councillor Allen and seconded by Councillor Turner that the sum of fifty-five dollars (being Balance of Year Salary of the

Late S. Pollock

late Samuel Pollock) be paid to Mrs Pollock Carried

High Constables Salary to be paid Monthly

It was resolved that the Salary of the High Constable should be paid Monthly and that the Mayor and clerk be authorized to give orders on Treasurer for same

Appointment of Tavern Licence Inspector

Moved by Councillor Atchison and seconded by Councillor Adams that Adam Leigh be appointed Tavern Licence Inspector for the ensuing year Carried

By Law Confirming Appointment of Licence Inspector

Moved by Councillor Allen and seconded by the Reeve that the by-law for the appointment of Tavern Licence Inspector for the Town of Cornwall be read a first, second, and third time passed and signed by the mayor notwithstanding any rule or Ordinance to the contrary Carried

By Law read 1st 2nd & 3rd time

The By-Law was accordingly read a first, second and third time passed and signed by the mayor

Road Committee

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve seconded by Councillor Turner that Councillors Allen Hodge & the Mover be road committee for the ensuing year Carried

Finance Committee

Moved by Councillor Atchison seconded by Councillor Allen that Councillors Turner, Mattice & Adams be Finance Committee for the ensuing year Carried

Clerk Authorized to get Circulars

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve & seconded by Councillor Rass that the clerk be authorized to procure printed Notices & meeting Carried

Treasurers Bond Rec'd and filed

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and seconded by Councillor Allen That the Treasurers Bond be received Read & Filed

Carried

The Treasurers Bond was accordingly received, read, and filed

By Laws not introduced for which notice had been given

Councillor Allen gave his reasons for not introducing the By Laws of which notice had been given at the last meeting but also gave further notice that at the next meeting of Council he would introduce By-Laws regarding Fire Companys, Licenceing of Carters & Livery Stable Keepers & Orders to be observed at this Council Board also By-Law to amend the Transient Traders By-Law

By-Laws to be introduced Fire Comp's Carters & Liv'y Stable Keep's & Orders of Board

Council to meet once a Month (P.M.)

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and seconded by Councillor Atchison That this Council meet once a month and that the hour of meeting shall be Seven Oclock P.M. in winter and Eight Oclock P.M. in summer

Carried

adjournment of Council

Moved by Councillor Allen & Seconded by the Deputy-Reeve That this Council do now adjourn and do stand adjourned until this night four weeks

Carried

The Council then adjourned

John Keith
Clerk

A. Bettrum
Mayor

Cornwall February 9th 1871

Special Meeting

Requisition

Meeting of Council for the purpose of Encouraging Manufactures

The Mayor in compliance with a requisition signed by the Reeve the Deputy-Reeve & Councillors Hodge, G Mattice A.P. Ross, Craig, [illegible] & William C. Allen called a Special meeting for this evening for the purpose of taking into consideration the offer of the Cornwall manufacturing Company and to encourage manufacturers

members present

The members present were the mayor the Reeve, Deputy-Reeve and Councillors Allen Hodge Turner Mattice Atchison McLean, Adams, Ross and Craig

G. McDonald Esq) requested to address the Board

Moved by the Reeve and seconded by Councillor Adams that George McDonald Esq be requested to give a statement of what transpired between the Deputation appointed to wait on George Stephen Esq of Montreal and that Gentleman

Carried unanimously

George McDonald Esq then gave the required information

Resolution granting

after which it was moved by Councillor Hodge and seconded by Councillor Allen That this Municipal Council duly recognizing the importance of manufactories in this country and that such add considerably to the welfare of the community where established hereby pledge themselves to aid and assist

and all Cotton Woollen and other Similes Factories which may be erected and Established within This municipality and that should The Cornwall Manufacturing Company erect and keep in operation a Factory Similar in all respects to The one Lately destroyed by fire adjoining This Town and That all The Land on The South Side of the main road Leading to Wm Treal The property of William Mattice Esq and others and bounded on The East by The road on The eastern boundary of The farm of the said William Wallace Esq shall be incorporated and become a part of this Town Then That This municipal Council Bind Themselves To Lay a By-Law before The Electors of This Town wherely a sum of Six Hundred Dollars ($600) per annum for a period of Ten years and remission of all municipal Taxes for a period of Twenty-one years may be granted to The said Cornwall Manufacturing Company On conditions above Specified and shall also petition The Legislature at same time to grant us The power to remit for The same period of Twenty-one years all municipal Taxes which may be Collectable on Factories as above Specified and which may be Erected within This municipality and should any further land be necessary for The erection of such Factories That This Council Bind Themselves to Lay a By-Law before The Electors of this Town

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in order to purchase such land and pledge themselves also individually and Collectively to use all their influence for the due performance of the various portions of this resolution

Carried unanimously

Copy

Moved by the Deputy-Reserve and seconded by Councillor Craig That a copy of the foregoing resolution be

Sent to

forwarded to George Stephens Esq

Geo. Stephens Esq

managing Director of the Cornwall manufacturing Company Signed by the Mayor and Clerk with the Official seal attached thereto and

Inserted

the Co respectfully requested to reply at his earliest convenience

Carried

The Council then rose

John Smith
Clerk

A. Bethune
Mayor

Cornwall February 20th 1871
Regular Meeting

The Council met this Evening pursuant to adjournment present the Mayor the Reeve the Deputy-Reeve and Councillors Allen, Mattice, Atchison Adams Ross & Craig

Minutes read,

The Minutes of the two former meetings were read and approved

petitions

The following parties having presented the necessary petitions and the inspector

Bonuses for Tavern Licences

of Licences having certified that each and Every one of them are fit and proper persons to have a licence and have all the accomodation required by Law and of the By-Law of this Town viz

Names

Wm Thomas Hendrie
John Deveney
Alexander J. McDonald
and Michael McEnery
John B. McKenzie
Ranald McDonald
John Broderick

whereupon

Certificates granted

it was moved by Councillor Adams seconded by Councillor Ross that Tavern Licence Certificates be granted to each of the aforementioned parties in compliance with the several sections of the Tavern Licence By Law of this Town

Carried

Shop Licence Certificates

Moved by Councillor Allen seconded by Councillor Atchison that Shop Licences be granted to P.E. Adams Archibald MacFarlane & Co and G. & D McDonald in Compliance with the By Law in such case made and provided Carried

Billiard Licence granted

Moved by Councillor Allen seconded by Councillor Ross that a billiard Licence be granted to Wm Littlefield in the usual terms viz $15.00

Carried

Payment of accounts

Moved by the Reeve and seconded by Councillor Mattice that the following accounts be paid viz Pension Roll during January

John Dewar for going to Massena &c. $10.00
Kerr Osborne & Co Treasurers Receipt Book
Assessment Blanks &c as per bill 2.67

Carried

Appointment of Assessor

Moved by Councillor Allen Seconded by Councillor Atchison That Adam Elliott be appointed Assessor for the Ensuing Year at a Salary of Sixty Dollars ($60.00) per annum

Carried

By Law Confirming the Appointment of Assessor

Moved by Councillor Matteci Seconded by Councillor Craig That the By-Law for the appointment of assessor for the Town of Cornwall for the Ensuing Year now read a first Second, and Third time passed and Signed by the mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the contrary

Carried

By Law read a 1st 2nd and 3rd time and passed

The By Law was accordingly Read a first, Second and Third time passed and signed by the mayor

adjournment

Moved by Councillor Allen Seconded by Mr Reem and Carried That this Council now adjourn and do stand adjourned until this night four weeks at seven o'clock

The Council then adjourned

John Skeith
Town Clerk

By-Laws not presented of which notice has been given, further notice of By-laws for Compensation etc etc

X Councillor Allen said his absence from the Town prevented him preparing the By-laws of which notice had been given but that at the next regular meeting of this board he would introduce By-Laws regarding Fire Companies, licencing Carters & Livery Stable Keepers, orders to be observed at this Council Board, & a By Law to

amend The Transient Traders By-Law

A. Bethune Mayor

no meeting

Cornwall March 20th. 1871

no meeting

J. Smith
Clerk

Cornwall April 3/71

Special Meeting

Present the mayor the Reeve the Deputy Reeve and Councillors Allen Hodge Mattice Craig, Atchison Adams & Ross

Minutes read

The minutes of the former meeting were read and approved

By-laws not introduced which notice has been given further notice given

Councillor Allen gave a good and sufficient reason for the non-abstearance of By-Laws of which notice had been given at a previous meeting, But gave further notice that at the march Regular meeting of this Board he would introduce By-Laws Regarding Fire Companys Licenceing Carters and Livery-Stable-Keepers, Orders to be observed at this Council Board and a By-Law to amend the Transient Traders By-Law

notice of suit by McLean against this Corporation

The Mayor read a notice served on him at the suit of Alexander McLean against this Corporation (Vide Rule nisi)

J. Bethune

When it was moved by the Deputy Reeve and seconded by Councillor Craig That Mr. James Bethune of the firm of Blake. Reeve and Bethune

retained as Council

be Retained by this Council in the suit Brought by Alexander McLean Against this Corporation and that the Clerk be authorized to forward to Mr James Bethune a Copy of this Resolution together with a Copy of the Notice Served on the mayor

Carried

Resignation of Hy Constable

The Hyt Constable Henry Gilmser Tendered his Resignation which was moved by Councillor Allen Seconded by the Deputy-Reeve was accepted

adjournment

Moved by Councillor Allen Seconded by the Deputy-Reeve That this Council now adjourne and do Stand adjourned until this night two weeks the 14th instant at 7-30 Oclock

Carried

The Council then adjourned

approved
A. Bethune
Mayor

J Skeath
Clerk

Cornwall April 18th 1871

Special Meeting

Resolution granting aid to the Cornwall Manufacturing Company

a special meeting was called for the purpose of taking into Consideration a Resolution giveing aid to the Cornwall Manufacturing Company, to be submitted to the Council and other matters Connected therewith. Present his worship the mayor. The Reeve

The Deputy-Reeve and Councillors Allen Hodge, Atchison, Craig, Ross, Adams & Burns

Resolution

Moved by Councillor Andrew Hodge and seconded By William Mack Esqr Reeve of The Town of Cornwall that whereas a Committee was appointed at a public meeting of the inhabitants of this Town with authority to make certain arrangements with George Stephen Esq as managing director of the Cornwall manufacturing Company, whereby the Corporation of this Town are required to pledge themselves to grant stated benefits to the said Cornwall manufacturing Company on certain conditions and whereas the following has been agreed upon as a basis of agreement namely That the municipal Council of this town duly recognizing the importance of manufactories in this Country and the fact that they add considerably to the welfare of the community where established hereby pledge themselves to aid and assist all Cotton, Woollen, and other similar factories which may be erected and established within this municipality, and that should the Cornwall Manufacturing Company erect a Woollen factory on the site of the one lately destroyed by fire adjoining this town and which will give employment to an equal or nearly equal number of operatives as were employed in same previous to its destruction and that all the land on the south side of the Main road leading to Montreal the property of

William Mallett Esq and others and bounded on the East by the eastern boundary of the farm of the said William Mallett Esq shall be incorporated with and become a part of this Town Then that this Municipal Council bind themselves to lay a By Law before the Electors of this town whereby a sum of Six Thousand dollars in Ten Debentures of Six Hundred dollars each payable annually shall be donated to the said Cornwall Manufacturing Company so soon as the factory is in working order and producing goods it being also understood, that should such factory again be destroyed or should from any unavoidable cause cease operations for a period of more than six months the said Cornwall Manufacturing Company shall bind themselves to the Corporation of the Town of Cornwall that payment shall not be required for any debentures still unpaid and shall bind themselves to meet and pay all such debentures during such cessation of work in such factory, and the said Corporation of the said Town of Cornwall hereby pledge themselves to petition the Legislature of this province to grant them power to grant a remission of municipal taxes to said Cornwall Manufacturing Company for a period of twenty-one years on said factory or any other factory of the character above specified for a similar period of twenty-one years on the conditions above specified and also that should

for 21 years

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the said Cornwall manufacturing Company or any other Solvent Company erect a Cotton Mill of Certain ~~dimensions~~ dimensions as may be hereafter agreed upon Then that this municipal Council bind themselves to give a donation of four thousand dollars to said Cotton factory stockholders and also a remission of municipal taxes for a period of twenty one Years Subject in all respects to the Conditions above expressed and relating to the Cornwall manufacturing Company,

Be it therefore resolved that this municipal Council Convened specially for the Consideration of the subject hereby agree to all the Conditions contained in above resolution and pledge themselves individually and collectively to use all their influence to have same Carried out

Carried Unanimously

Copy Sent to Stephens & Co Montreal

Moved by C. J. Mattice Deputy Reeve Seconded by Councillor Nelson Turner that the foregoing resolution be forwarded to George Stephens Esq as managing director of the Cornwall manufacturing Company Signed by the Mayor and Clerk and with the official Seal of this Corporation attached thereto

Carried Unanimously

The Council then rose

John Smith
Clerk

approved
A. Bethune
Mayor

Cornwall April 17. 1871

Adjourned Meeting

Present The Mayor, Deputy-Reeve & Councillors Allen Craig. Hodge Adams Sumner & Ross

The minutes of the two former meetings were read and approved

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and Seconded by Councillor Craig that the following members of Council constitute the Court of Revision for the ensuing year Viz Councillors Allen Ross. Adams Sumner & the Mayor

Carried

Appointment of Court of Revision

Moved by Councillor Allen and Seconded by Councillor Hodge that the High Constables be authorized to call upon the different Owners of Property on Pitt Street South of Second Street to the Canal Wharf and to notify them that the Council have authorized him, to fill up with Stones or earth, the holes in said Street caused by the breaking down of the main Sewer on Monday the 24th instant unless arrangements be entered into with the Mayor according to law

Carried

High Constables to call on different parties on Pitt Street and also to filling up holes in main sewer

Moved by Councillor Allen and Seconded by the Deputy-Reeve that the following Accounts be passed Viz

Payment of accounts

William Gallinger Blacksmithing & Wood as per a/c $9.50

Wm McElroy 3 Mos. Rent for Lockup Prisoners Wells Blythe 7.50

James Broderick Board for Volunteers
during Fenian Raid $ 520
Carried

adjournment Moved by Councillor Hodge Seconded by Councillor Ross That this Council now adjourn and do stand adjourned until the first monday in may at 7.30 Oclock Carried

J Smith
Clerk

approved
A. Bettinson
Mayor

May 1st 1871
Regular Meeting

Present The Mayor. Reeve The Deputy Reeve & Councillors Allen McLean Hodge Atchison Mallick Ross Turner Adams and Craig

Minutes of former meeting read and Approved

payment account Moved by Councillor Allen Seconded by The Reeve That John Morrisette account for Plough Points amounting to $3 50 ~~be paid~~ Carried

discussion A long discussion ensued relating to the main Sewer on Pitt Street when

relative to it was finally moved by Councillor Turner Seconded by Councillor Craig That

main Sewer The resolution passed at last meeting of Council relating to the filling up with earth or stone the main Sewer be rescinded and that the High Constable

Road be requested to commence repairing same without delay so as to make the road passable and that the Road

Committee Committee be authorized to ask for

Clerk ask tenders for stone flags etc - necessary to make a new drain and that same be commenced and completed this summer subject to a by-law which will be introduced at next meeting of Council as to the provisions under which same will be built

Tender for Stone & Flags

Carried unanimously

By-law relative to main Sewer to be introduced

Councillor Allen gave notice that at next meeting of Council he would introduce a by-law relating to said drain and also the by-laws of which notice have already been given Viz Carters Sewer Stable Keepers and Gas Company by-laws

By-laws also notices given

Moved by Councillor Allen Sec^d by the Deputy-Reeve That the Clerk be requested to notify all residents and owners of property on each side of Pitt Street from Second Street to Water Street and also all other persons who at present drain into the main Sewer That if action is not taken by them forthwith to rebuild said Sewer that this Council will rebuild same and will charge the owners or occupants of property benifitted with the expense incurred

Clerk to notify all residents and owners of property on Pitt Street to rebuild said Sewer

Carried unanimously

Communication from Colo Skinner asking aid for Volunteers

Letters were read addressed to the Mayor and Council from Colo Skinner asking for aid for the Volunteers about to proceed to Wimbledon and from the Town Auditors Messrs Monroe & Murchison Complaining

Letter

from auditors complaining of their inability to make out their report

of their inability to make out the Auditors Report as the books were in the hands of Mr Bristow, Commissioner, the Consideration of those Communications were postponed until the next meeting of Council.

adjournment of Council

Meeting then adjourned until the first monday in June at 7.30 P.M.

approved
A. Bethune
Mayor

J. Skeith
Clerk

Cornwall June 5th 1871

Regular Meeting

Present the Mayor - Reeve & Councillors Craig Atchison Ross Turner & Forge

minutes of last meeting read & confirmed

Moved by the Reeve and Seconded by Councillor Turner that the a/c of John Dewar amounting to Eight Dollars for making out a copy of Treasurers Books for the Last five years for the Treasurer at the Order of Mr Bristow Com be paid

Carried

payment of accounts

John Skeith Statutes as per a/c $2.06
Gazette Printing as per a/c 14.70
Cope Clark & Co Statutes Assessment Blanks 4.80

Moved by Councillor Atchison and seconded by Councillor Turner that the foregoing accounts be paid

Carried

adjournment of Council

Moved by the Reeve and seconded by Councillor Atchison that this Council now adjourn until this night two weeks at 7.30 O Clock

Carried

The Council then adjourned

approved
A Bethune Mayor

J. Skeith Clerk

Cornwall June 19th 1871

A Adjourned Meeting

Present The Mayor - Reeve - Deputy-Reeve and Councillors Allen Craig Ross Atchison McLean Hodge & Turner

Minutes read

Minutes of the former meeting were read and approved

Financial report rec'd and read

Moved by Councillor Craig and seconded by Councillor McLean that the financial report for the year 1870 be received & read

The Report was accordingly read

And delivers Report referred to Financial Committee

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and seconded by Councillor McLean that the financial report be referred to the Financial Committee and that a voucher be signed for the amount discount paid when approved of by the finance Committee

Carried

Account of D McLennan for Stone paid

Moved by Councillor Allen seconded by the Reeve that Mr D. McLennan's a/c amounting to $60.50 for stone be referred to the Road committee and when approved of by them the mayor be and is hereby authorized to sign an order for the payment of same

Carried

$2.00 per week to Benjamin Anderson

Moved by Councillor Turner and seconded by Councillor Ross that Mrs Jane Pringle be given two dollars per week to be used by her for the maintenance of Benjamin Anderson and that the Treasurer pay the same with or without any other order

Carried

Road

Moved by Councillor Allen and seconded by the Reeve that the Road Committee be and they are hereby

Committee ask Tenders for Final Completion of main Sewer

Authorized to ask for Tenders for the final Completion of the main Sewer on Pitt Street Said tenders to be received up to the 5th day of July the work to be performed according to plans and specifications to be seen at the clerks office, and that said road Committee be, and they are hereby Authorized to bargain with such person or persons for the performance of the work, as to them seems most satisfactory

Carried

Council to sign on behalf of the Council

Moved by Councellor Allen and seconded by Councellor Turner That the Mayor be and he is hereby Authorized to procure such Council as to him seems fit in order to act on behalf of this Council on the rehearing of the appeals against the assessment Roll as finally revised by the Court of Revision

Carried

Proclamation 1st July

Moved by Councellor Allen seconded by the Reeve That the mayor be authorized to issue a proclamation calling upon the citizens to observe the first day of July, Dominion Day, as a public Holiday

Carried

adjournment of Council

Moved by Councillor Allen Seconded by Councellor Irving That this Council now adjourn and do stand adjourned until Monday the 3rd day of July next

(Carried)

The Council then adjourned

approved

A. Bettinson
Mayor

John Keith
Clerk

Cornwall July 3rd 1871

Regular Meeting

The Members present were The mayor, The Reeve
The Deputy-Reeve
and Councillors Allen, Atchison, Ross
McLean & Turner

Estimate — Moved by The Deputy-Reeve and
Seconded by Councillor McLean That
~~The Balance~~ The School Estimate for
Com. School — This present Year 1871, be placed to the
Trustees — Credit of The Board of Common School
Trustees

Carried

adjournment — Moved by The Deputy-Reeve and
to Council — Seconded by Councillor Atchison That
This Council adjourn until the first
Monday in August

Carried

John Smith
Clerk

A. Bethune
Mayor

Cornwall Augst 7. 1871

Regular Meeting

Present The mayor, The Reeve and
Councillors Allen, Atchison, Craig
McLean Hodge & Turner

Notice — Councillor Allen gave notice
to By Law — that at the next meeting of Council
he would introduce a By Law relating
to The Main Sewer and also By Laws
of which notice has been given at
a former meeting

adjournment — moved by Councillor Allen
to Council — and Seconded by Councillor Atchison
That This Council now adjourn and
do Stand adjourned until next

monday Evening at 7-30 Oclock

Carried

John Stull
Clerk

A. Bethune
Mayor

Cornwall August 14. 1871

The Council met pursuant to adjournment

Present the Mayor the Reeve Deputy Reeve & Councillors Allen Craig McLean Hodge Turner Ross Attinson & Mattice

Minutes read

The minutes of the former meetings were read and approved

Report of Finance Committee to be read

Moved by the Reeve and seconded by Councillor Craig that the Report of the finance committee relateing to the accounts for Labour &c - for this Corporation and also for all Labour and material for the main Sewer on Pitt-Street be now read

Carried

Finance

The Reports as undermentioned were accordingly read as follows

We the several members of the finance Committee of the Corporation of the Town of Cornwall having examined the accounts annexed beg leave to report that we find them Correct Viz

Report

✓ Pat Deveney	Cartage		$0.87½
✓ John McLennan	Breaking Stone		2 07
✓ Wm Carpenter	"	"	9.80
✓ Jos Cheney	"	"	89
✓ Peter Legrois	"	"	22.34½
✓ Chas McKercher	"	"	14.40
✓ Ben Anderson Jr	"	"	1.75
✓ Benjamin Anderson	Sew. & mats allowance as pauper		16.00

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✓	Robt Clark	Breaking Stone	7.52
✓	Anderson & Clark	" "	.50
✓	Jam McAtier	" "	16.72
✓	Wm Budd	" "	10.93½
✓	Miles Leclair	" "	3 02
✓	Alex Longtier	" "	3 02
✓	S. B McLennan	" "	.70
✓	Alex Kennedy	" "	1.75
✓	John Premo	" "	4.44
✓	Hy Crawford	Stone for macadamization	18.00
✓	Hy Silmser Jr	" "	23.06
✓	Geo Conliff	" "	1.56
✓	Wm B Wood	" "	21 37½
✓	John S Cline	" "	18.56
✓	Mic Carpenter Jr	" "	13 50
✓	Dan Gillespie	Cartage	.62½
✓	Wm Guy	Do	1.70
✓	Thos Murphy	Do	.75
✓	John Lavally	½ days work	.50
✓	Peter Bishaw	2½ " "	2.50
✓	Miles Leclair	Digging old Lavally grave	1.00
✓	John Briain	4¼ days work	4.25
✓	John Skeith	½ years Salary as Clerk 37.50	
✓	Registration of Births, marriages & death 37.10		3.70 — 41.21
✓	Wm Walker	½ day work	.50
✓	Money & Flower to Indigent persons as per account also wood		23.50
✓	Sundry parties for wood also Wood for Townhall		10.00
✓	Wm Gallinger Jr	Drawing Fire Engine from Factory	.25
✓	W G Hollister	Telegraph a/c	1.42
✓	G. T. Railway	Fare for Paupers per Order of Mayor	2.50
✓	Dan Sullivan	Glazing	1.55
✓	Wm Cline	4 pcs Cedar for Brick yard Bridge	3 00
✓	Wm Col Anderson	Cleaning Town Hall	.25
✓	Wm Forgphas	" " "	1.25

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✓ Wm. Lebeau	Cleaning Town Hall	$0 50
✓ Mary Longtier	" "	1.00
✓ William Mattice	Debentures & Interest	436.00
✓ Phil Carpenter	4 days with Team	8.00
✓ Alex Anderson	2½ " " "	5.00
✓ Alvan Silmser	4¾ " " Horse & Cart	7.25
✓ Cornwall Gazette	Printing	5.68
✓ Expenses of Funeral of the late Mrs Bow & Coffin	Pauper	2 12½
✓ Cleaning Hall & Incidental Expenses		5.20
✓ Aug Murchison & D Monroe	7 days Auditing	28.00
✓ Wm Kent	Lumber as per o/c	4.22

(Signed) G Mattice
Chairman

Council Room
Cornwall Aug 11. 1871

We the Several member of the Finance Committee have examined the following amounts expended in Labour and purchase of material for the main sewer on Pitt Street and find them Correct Viz

Andrew McConnell	6 Cords Stone	$ 21.00
John Hart	2 5/8 — "	16.37
Hy Eamer	1½ — "	5.00
John S McDougall	5 — "	15.00
Rousseau	2 — "	7.00
Phil Hart	5/8 — "	2.00
Francis Rinkey	2¾ — "	9.63
Jac Smith	9 5/8 — "	33.69
Wm Bender	¼ — "	.75
Dan Daily	2 — "	7.00
Wm Eamer	1 5/8 — "	5.50
Dan Fraser	1 " Flags	5.00
Dan McDonald, McIsaac,	14¾ " "	73.75
John Cain	1 " Stone	3.50
Peter Bush	2 6/10 days Work	2.65

207.84

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	Amount Carried fr	207.84
Tibeau	18/10 days Work	$ 1.85
Mat Cheney	3 1/10 " "	3.10
Jos Cheney	1 " "	1 00
John O'Brian	41 8 1/2/10 " "	41.85
Wm Lawrence	1 5 1/2/10 " "	1.85
Stp Conliff	25 8 1/2/10 " "	25.85
D Brennan	1 1/2 " "	1.50
Stp Wood	15 7 1/2/10 " "	15.75
Tom Wilson	8 2/10 " "	8 25
Geo Ingle	9 1/2 " "	9 50
John Donacher	13 1/2 " "	13.50
Mic Moonan	17 3/4 " "	17.75
Ruben Smetsinger	4 1/4 " "	4 25
Mic Reviere	10 3/4 " "	10.75
John Martin	4 1/2 " "	4 50
Elias Heath	4 3/4 " "	4.75
Jos Charon	3 " "	3 00
Alf Blair	2 " "	2 00
Chas Robinson	5 " "	5 00
Robert Clark	1/4 " "	.25
Wm Walker	25 3/4 " "	25.75
D Rilkins	6 1/4 " "	1250
P Mason	7 1/4 " "	14.50
P Carpenter	8 1/2 " with Team	17.00
Alx Anderson	5 3/4 " " "	1150
D Skinner	2 " " Team	4.00
Sol Barnhart	1 1/2 " Cart	2 25
Phil Carpenter	3 1/4 " with Team	6.50
Alvan Eastman	7 " Cart	9.42 1/2
Alexander Anderson	2 Loads Straw	4.00
		$ 491.51 1/2

Council Room (Signed) G Mattice
Corman augst 11-1871 Chairman

Moved by Councillor McLean Seconded

Orders to be issued on Journal vouchers

by Councillor Atchison that Orders in the usual form be issued for payment of all the accounts above mentioned and that the Treasurer do pay the same Carried

By-law Building main sewer and Raising $1500 for payment of same Read a 1st time

Moved by Councillor Allen & seconded by Councillor Hodges that the By-Laws relating to the Building of the main Sewer on Pitt Street east of Second Street, and the raising of the sum of Fifteen hundred dollars ($1500) to pay the expence of same, and also to compel the Owners or occupiers of real property on both sides of Pitt Street east of second Street to drain into said sewer and to pay a certain portion of the expence attending the construction of said drain be now read a first time Carried

The By-Laws were accordingly read a first time

Appointment of the Board of Health

Moved by Councillor Turner and seconded by Councillor Craig that in consequence of the threatened danger of asiatic Cholera and the public safety demanding caution it is deemed necessary that a Board of Health for this Town in order to see that all necessary cleanliness be observed be now appointed and that said Board of Health Committee be composed of His Worship the Mayor the Deputy-Reeve and Councillors McLean Ross & Allen Carried

Motion, granting

Moved by Councillor Ross and seconded by the Reeve that the motion

re Benjamin Anderson at a former meeting rescinded

passed at a former meeting whereby the Treasurer was authorized to pay a weekly sum of two dollars to Benjamin Anderson be now rescinded inasmuch as no necessity exists for same

Carried

adjournment of Council

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and seconded by Councillor Turner that the Council do now adjourn and do stand adjourned until the Evening of Monday next the 21st instant at 7.30 O'Clock

Carried

The Council then adjourned

Approved
A. Bethune
Mayor

J. Keith
Clerk

Cornwall August 21. 1871

Adjourned Meeting

The Council met pursuant to adjournment

Present the Mayor Dep. Reeve & Councillors Allen, Hodge, Craig, Ross, McLean, Adams, Turner & Mattice

Minutes read —

Minutes of the former meetings were read and approved

Finance Committee report on Auditors Report received and read

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve & seconded by Councillor Allen that the report of the finance committee on the auditors Report be received and read

Carried

The report was accordingly read

Said report adopted

Moved by Councillor Ross and seconded by Councillor Craig that the report of the finance committee on the Auditors report be adopted and that the

Auditors Report be published forthwith
Carried

Moved by Councillor McLean and seconded by Councillor Ross that the By Laws referring to the Building of the sewer on pitt Street east of second street and the raising of the sum of $1500- to pay the cost of same and also to compel the owners or occupiers of real property on both sides of pitt Street east of 2nd St to drain into said sewer and to pay a certain portion of the expence attending the Construction of said drain be now read a second time
Carried

The By Laws were accordingly read a second time

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and seconded by Councillor Craig that the By Law for the purpose of raising the sum of fifteen hundred dollors to defray the expence attending the ~~construction~~ of said drain be now read a third time passed and signed by the mayor
Carried

The By Law was accordingly read a third time passed & signed by the Mayor

Moved by Councillor Matteci seconded by Councillor Ross that the following acc be paid viz
Rob Clark & Co Toronto for 4 quire Town Notices as per acc dated May 31st $1.80
Carried

Auditors Report to be published

By Laws referring to the Building of the main Sewer read 2nd time

By Law for raising funds for the building of the main sewer to be read a 3rd time

said By Law read a 3rd time and passed

payment of Accounts

adjournment of Council

Moved by Councillor Mattice and seconded by Co. Ross that this Council do adjourn & do stand adjourned until Monday September the 4th 1871 at 7-30 Oclock

Carried

John Skeith
Clerk

Approved
A. Bethune
Mayor

Cornwall Sept 4th 1871

Regular Meeting

Present the Mayor Deputy-Reeve & Councillors Allen Atchison Adams Craig Ross & Hodge

Minutes read

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

$30.00 granted Town assisting in repairing 9th St.

Moved by Councillor Hodge seconded by Councillor Craig that the Road Committee be authorized to apply the sum of thirty-dollars ($30.00) towards assisting in repairing ninth Street west of Pitt Street the Town-

Similar sum granted by Town-Ship Council

ship Council having granted a similar amount

Carried

Mr Henrys acct referred to Finance Committee

Moved by Councillor Allen seconded by the Deputy-Reeve that Mr Henrys Acct be referred to the Finance Committee and when approved of by them the Mayor be

The Finance Com-te to sign

Authorized to sign an Order for the payment of same

same to be paid when approved of -

Carried

Mr Pollock allowed the sum of -

Moved by Councillor Atchison seconded by Councillor Ross that Mr Pollock be allowed the sum of One dollar & fifty-cents ($1.50) per week

$1.50 for the maintenance of Annie Anderson

for the maintainance of Annie Anderson Amounting to (for 5 Weeks) $7.50

Carried

Hyh Constable to call on George McMahon

I moved by Councillor Allen and Seconded by Councillor Adams That the Hyh Constable be authorized to call upon Mr George McMahon and to notify him that a sufficient quantity of ground must be left to support the road, and that the Corporation will hold him responsible for any damage that may accrue to the Street

Carried

Address

I moved by C. I Mattice Esq Deputy Reve and seconded by Councillor A P Ross that this municipal Council having Learned that John Warwick Esq who has been manager of the Cornwall manufacturing Company's woollen factory here since it was first opened has resigned his position as such manager and accepted another appointment, Cannot allow the occasion to pass without expressing their unanimous approval of the manner in which the factory has been conducted during the whole time it has been in operation no one instance of Either an immoral or unpleasant character having been known and that this Council regret that any change should have taken place and sincerely hope that the high moral tone which has existed under its late management may be continued and that the position to which

J Warwick Esq

Continued

Mr Warwick has been appointed may be to him a source of much pleasure and profit

Carried unanimously

Copies of

Moved by Councillor Craig and seconded by Councillor C. A. Adams That Copies of the above Resolution signed by the Mayor & Clerk with the Official Seal attached thereto be

Foregoing

Resolution

forwarded to John Warwick Esq and also to George Stephen Esq as managing Director of the Cornwall manufacturing Company, with the expressed desire of the Council that same may be laid before the Board of Directors in order that they may understand how fully Mr Warwicks management of their Factory here was appreciated by the citizens of this town as expressed unanimously through their representatives

to be

sent to

J. Warwick Esq

&

Geo. Stephen Esq

Carried unanimously

Moved by Councillor Allen Sec^d by the Deputy-Reeve That the Clerk be instructed to write Officially to the Adjutant General demanding the Rent due to this Corporation for the front room of Town Hall at present used as armories for the various companys and informing him that unless immediate payment is made the Council will take possession of said portion of building forthwith

Clerk instructed officially to write Adjutant Gen^l

Rent of armories

Carried

By-Law introduced to amend the present market By Law

The Deputy-Reeve gave notice that at the next regular meeting of Council he would introduce a by Law to amend the present market by Law

Adjournment of Council

Moved by Councillor Hodge and seconded by Councillor Atchison & Carried that this Council now adjourn and do stand adjourned until this night two weeks being the 18th instant at 7.30 O'clock P.M.

Carried

John Smith
Clerk

A. Bethune
Mayor

Regular Meeting
18 September 1871

Present The Mayor. Reeve Deputy-Reeve and Councillors Atchison Adams Ross Allen & Turner

Adjournment of Council

Moved by Councillor Allen and seconded by the Deputy-Reeve that this Council do now adjourn and do stand adjourned until the Evening of Monday the second October at 7.30 O'clock

Carried

John Smith
Clerk

A. Bethune
Mayor

Regular Meeting
Oct 2nd 1871

Present the Mayor, Reeve Deputy-Reeve and Councillors Allen Mattici Atchison Hodge Ross Turner Adams & Craig

Minutes read

The minutes of the former meting were read and approved

Mr Warwick's reply &c. to and to be filed

Mr Warwick's reply to a resolution of a former meting was received and ordered to be filed

Notice of By Law to be introduced for the Levying the rate in the dollar,

Councillor Mattici gave notice, that at the next regular meeting he would introduce a By-Law for the purpose of Levying the rate in the dollar for the present year

By Law to Charge a rental of 50 dollars per foot going to drain in main sewer

Councillor Allen gave notice that at the next meeting of Council he would introduce a By-law for the purpose of charging a Rental to all persons draining into the main Sewer

Road Committee empowered to complete Sewer

Moved by Councillor Turner and Seconded by Councillor Ross that the Road Committee be and they are hereby empowered to go on and complete the main Sewer on Jett Street

Carried

Lamps to be purchased for the purpose of lighting Street opposite Town Hall

Moved by Councillor Allen and Seconded by the Deputy-Reeve that two (2) Lamps be purchased for the purpose of lighting the Street opposite Town Hall

Carried

Mayor Authorized to

Moved by Councillor Hodge and Seconded by Councillor Adams that the Mayor be authorized to Communicate with the Commanding Officer of the 5th Batt. requesting him

request the Col= 59th Batt to remove arms from Hall

to remove the Arms etc. from the Town Hall building forthwith Carried

Stone Side walk west of Gillies Shops on Block

Moved by Councillor Allen seconded by Councillor Hodge that the road Committee be authorized to Lay down a Stone side walk from James Gillies Corner One Block west

Amendment

Moved in amendment by Councillor Mattice seconded by Councillor Ross that the road Committe Lay down a plank side walk on the above named street

amendment put and Lost the main motion was then put and Carried

accounts paid

Moved by the Reeve and seconded by Councillor Atchison that the account rendered for Carting & repairing bridges & dated Oct 2nd/71 amounting to £ 37½ be paid

Carried

adjournment of Council

Moved by Councillor Mattice and seconded by Councillor Adams that this Council do adjourn & do stand adjourned until next Friday the 6th instant at ½ past 10 Oclock

Carried

This Council then adjourned

John Skeith
Town Clerk

approved
A. Bethune
Mayor

Cornwall Oct 6th 1871

Adjourned Meeting

Present the Mayor, Reeve Deputy-Reeve & Councillors Allen, Hodge, Mattice, Atchison Turner, Ross, Adams & Craig

Minutes read

The minutes of the last Meeting

meeting were read and appr-
-oved

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve
Adjournment of Council — Seconded by Councillor Allen
That this Council now adjourn &
do stand adjourned until next
Tuesday Evening at 7.30 oclock

Carried

The Council then adjourned

approved
A. Bethune
Mayor

John Keith
Clerk

Cornwall Oct 10th 1871

Adjourned Meeting

Present, the Mayor, Deputy-Reeve
and Councillors Allen, Mattice
Adams, Turner, Hodges & Atchison

Adjournment of Council — Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and
Seconded by Councillor Turner that
this Council now adjourn and do
stand adjourned until Friday Evening
the 13th instant at 7.30 oclock

Carried

John Keith
Clerk

approved
A. Bethune
Mayor

Cornwall Oct 13th 1871

Adjourned Meeting

Present The Mayor. Reeve - Deputy-Reeve
& Councillors Mattice Ross Adams
Turner Atchison & Allen

Report on Collectors accounts — Moved by the Reeve & seconded
by Councillor Ross that the Report
of the Finance committee in con-

from nection with the Collectors indebtedness for the years 1869 & 1870 and also as to the Expenditure and Receipts for the Current year be received and read

Finance Com'ee rec'd & read

Carried

The following report was accordingly read Viz

Report

The Finance Committee beg Leave to report that they have examined carefully the Collectors Adam Elgie's accounts for the years 1869 & 1870 and find that after deducting Error in addition in roll for 1869 as per Statement annexed amounting to $205.00 and sums uncollectable from parties from whom Collection could not be made as per Statement attached amounting to $88.09½ and also deducting Error in roll for 1870 amounting to $63.00 and uncollectable as per Statements also annexed amounting to $50.00 that a balance which your Committee consider Collectable amounting to $660.28½ is still unaccounted for and which your committee recommend shall be collected forthwith

Collector Dr

To amount of Roll for 1869	$4644.43
" " " " 1870	4336 43½
	$8980 86½

Cr

By Amt. Paid Treasurer 1869	
	$4041.58

Continued

By Amount Brt. Forward		$4041.58
" " P. Treasurer	1870	3873.00
" Error in roll	1869	205.00
" amount uncollectable	1869	88.00
" " "	1870	50.00
By Error in roll	1870	63.00
		8320.58
Balance Still due by Collector		660 28½
		$8980.86½

Amounts which your committee consider uncollectable for the year 1869 and charged on collectors roll for that year

Thos Davidson	$2.00
Geo. Robidoux	2.00
P. Reambell	2.00
Rev Wm McVicar	2.00
Lt. Cunnamber	2.00
Donald Kennedy	2.00
Wm Brinston	2.00
A. McLennan	2.00
Peter McLennan	2.00
Wm Provo	2.00
Wm R. Campbell	6.00
Arthur Clerc	2.00
Jos Nero	2.00
Rev Wm Lynch	2.00
Arch Moore	2.00
Peter Baker	2.00
D B McLennan Charged twice	
Numbers 82 & 374	13.50
John Provo	2.00
John McDonald	2.00
Dan McIntosh	2.00
Rev Wm Dixon	1.00

Continued

Amount Brot Forward	$65.50
Hugh McLeod	2.00
Adgus Clark	200
Alex McCarty	200
B G. French	200
Ben Bopre	200
Archd Patton	200
Revd W Austin	200
John Farran	200
John Miller	200
John Martin	200
Louis Willet	250
	$88.00

Errors in Additions in roll for 1869

Page 2	2.00		
" 15	6.00	Collector Dr	
" 24	100.00	Error in Roll	
Error in final addition	100.00	Page 11	2.00
	208.00	" 35	200
Page 29 —	2.00	" 41	1.00
	210.00		$5.00
	5.00		
	$205 00		

Amounts which your Committee consider uncollectable for the year 1870 and charged on collection roll for that year

Anthony O'Donell	$8.00	Alex. McGregor	$2.00	Don Kennedy	$2.00
P.S. McLennan	2.00	Jos Silliopil	2.00	Arch Copeland	2.00
Allen Grant	2.00	Wm Fallenger Jr	2.00	Wm Brown	2.00
Wm Robert Campbell	6.00	Duncan Kemp	2.00	A Ross	2.00
John Farran	2.00	Alex Grant	2.00	A Clunis	2.00
Jordan Rumnians	2.00	John Talbot Jr	2.00	Wm Mea	2.00
Wm McDonald	2.00	Ez Brabba	2.00		
	$24.00		$14.00		$12.00

Continued

Error in addition of roll for the year 1870

West Ward No 161 $63.00

Estimate of Expenditure for Current year

Common Schools	$1550.00
Town Hall Debenture & Interest	500.00
County Rates	1378 39
Salaries of municipal officers	525:00
Improvements as per Statement	807.50
Special assessment " main Sewer	1500.00
	626089

Estimate for improvements

Sid Walks	$200.00
Mac Road	200.00
Nth Street	200.00
Printing	30 00
Fire Wood	30 00
Insurance	27.50
Coal Oil	20 00
Incidentals	100 00
	$807.50

Income

Rents	$100.00
Town Hall	200 00
Market Stalls	150.00
Fines	50 00
Licences	800 00
Cons Reserve	100 00
	1400,00

all of which is respectfully submitted

(Signed) S. Matteci
Chairman
Finance Committee

Committee Room
13th Oct. 1871

adoption of

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve
Seconded by Councillor Thorne

Committee's report

That the report of the finance committee just read be adopted

Carried

Levying the rate in the $

Moved by Councillor Atchison
Seconded by Councillor Adams
That the rate on all real and personal property as per assessment roll for this year be one Cent in the Dollar

Carried

By-Law confirming the foregoing resolution

Moved by Councillor Mattice
Seconded by Councillor Turner
That the By-Law fixing the rate of Taxation on all real and personal property as assessed for this year be now read a first time

Carried

By-Law read a 1st time

The By-Law was ~~read~~ read accordingly a first time

By-Law same read a 2nd & 3rd time passed & signed

Moved by the Reeve and seconded by the Deputy-Reeve that the By-Law fixing the rate in the Dollar on all real and personal property in this Town as per assessment roll for this year be now read a second and third time passed and signed by the mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the contrary

Carried

The By-Law was accordingly read a second and third time passed and signed by the mayor

Moved by Councillor Atchison
Seconded by Councillor Adams

adjournment of Council

That this Council do now adjourn and do stand adjourned until the Evening of Monday the 23rd October at 7.30 Oclock

Carried

The Council then adjourned

John S Keith
Town Clerk

approved
A. Bethune
Mayor

Cornwall Oct 23rd 1871

Adjourned Meeting

Present the Mayor Reeve Deputy-Reeve and Councillors Adams Craig Turner Ross Mattice Hodge and Allen

Minutes read

The minutes of the former meeting were read and approved

By-law relating to main Sewer read a 1st time

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and seconded by Councillor Craig that the By-law relating to the main Sewer be now read a first time

Carried

The By-Law was accordingly read a first time

Appointment of Collector

Moved by Councillor Ross and seconded by Councillor Craig that Adam Elliott be reappointed Collector for this Town for the present year at a salary of Sixty Dollars ($60.00)

Carried

By-Law Confirming the Appointment of

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and seconded by Councillor Adams that the By-Law for the appointment of Adam Elliott as Collector for this

Collector

shall be now read a first time
Carried

The By-Law was accordingly read a first time

By-Law Same read 2nd & 3rd time passed & Signed

Moved by Councillor Craig and Seconded by Councillor Ross that the By Law for the appointment of Adam Eligh as Collector be now read a Second and third time passed and Signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the contrary Carried

The By Law was accordingly read a Second and third time passed & Signed by the Mayor

Mayor to deliver to the Collector the Roll

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and Seconded by Councillor Adams that the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to deliver to Mr Eligh the Collectors Roll upon his furnishing the proper security & entering into bonds for the Collection of same
Carried

Mayor to purchase Suction hose for Engine

Moved by the Reeve and seconded by Councillor Adams that the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to purchase one length of suction hose for Engine forthwith Carried

Dr Pringle addresses the Board asking aid for Sufferers by the Lake fire Public meeting to be called

On motion of Councillor Mattice seconded by the Reeve, Dr Pringle was permitted to address the board, he asked, that aid be granted to the Sufferers, by the Lake fire in Wisconsin and after due consideration it was decided to call a public meeting for the above named purpose

adjournment of Council

Moved by Councillor Turner and Seconded by Councillor Ross that this council now adjourn and do stand adjourned until Monday the 6th of December next at the hour of 7.30 Oclock Carried

The Council then adjourned

John Skeith
Clerk

approved
A. Bethune
Mayor pro

Council Room Nov. 6. 1871

Regular meeting

Present the Mayor, the Reeve and Councillors Allen Craig Ross, Adams & Turner

adjournment of Council

Moved by Councillor Allen. and seconded by Councillor Turner and Carried, that this Council do now adjourn, and do stand adjourned, until this night two weeks, at 7.30 O.Clock

The council then adjourned

John Skeith
Clerk

approved
A. Bethune
Mayor

Cornwall Nov 20th 1871

Regular Meeting

Present

The Mayor Reeve and Councillors, McLean, Craig, Adams Turner Mattice and Allen;

Minutes read

The minutes of the former meeting were read and approved

Moved by Councillor Turner and seconded by Councillor

adjournment of Council

Mattice & carried, that this Council do now adjourn, and do stand adjourned until this night two weeks at 7.30 O'clock

Carried

John Steitt
Town Clerk

approved
A. Bethune
Mayor

Council Room Dec 4th 1871

Regular Meeting

The members present were The Mayor, Reeve, Deputy-Reeve and Councillors Hodge Craig Adams, Turner Ross & Mattice

Minutes read

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

By Law Introduction stage of) amend the market by-law

The Deputy-Reeve gave notice that at the next meeting of Council he would introduce a By-Law to amend the present market by-law

Adjournment of Council

moved by the Deputy-Reeve and seconded by Councillor Turner that this Council now adjourn and do stand adjourned until the Evening of the 7th instant at 7 O'clock

Carried

The Council then adjourned

John Steitt
Clerk

approved
A. Bethune

Council Room Dec 7. 1871

Adjourned Meeting

Present the Mayor Reeve and Councillors Hodge Allen McLean Mattice Craig Adams Turner Atchison and Ross.

The minutes of the former meeting were read and approved

See Minutes of Council 15th day of Jany 1872 Last meeting of Council

Moved by Councillor W. C. Allen and Seconded by Councillor Adams that the account of L. VanKoughnet for Flag Stones, be paid (amounting to $12.00) Carried

accounts to be referred to Finance Com.ee

Moved by Councillor Allen & Seconded by Councillor Craig that all other accounts be referred to Finance committee Carried

Communication from D.McInnes Esq.r rec.d & read

Moved by the Reeve Seconded by Councillor Adams that the communication of D McInnes Esq.r Addressed to his worship the mayor be received and read Carried

the Communication referred to was then read

Resolution

Moved by Councillor Allen and Seconded by Councillor Craig that this municipal Council having read the letter of D McInnes Esq.r of Hamilton dated 15th Nov.r 1871 and addressed to his Worship the mayor relative to the erection of a cotton factory adjoining this town and after giving same that consideration which its importance demands and although particularly anxious to encourage factories of the character therein referred to would not consider themselves justified in recommending

that any deviation should be made from the resolution passed on the 13th day of April last and which resolution was accepted by George Stephen Esq as managing director of the Cornwall manufacturing company on behalf of the woollen and contemplated cotton factory. That this Council would state that they adhere to the purport of the resolution above referred to and which they shall endeavour to carry out fully and should the proprietors of the Cotton Factory at a future period extend the dimensions of such factory this Council would feel inclined to recommend such further grant as the extent would warrant

Carried

Copy of Resolution sent D. McLean Hamilton

Moved by Councillor Mattice & seconded by Councillor McLean and Carried, that a copy of the foregoing resolution together with a copy of the resolution passed the 13 day of April Last be forwarded to D. McInnes Esq. of Hamilton

Appointment of Rets Officers and Polling Places for the West & Centre Wards

Moved by Councillor Mattice and seconded by the Reeve that the place for holding the Election for the West Ward shall be the Shop of Angus Dolbat on Lot number twenty-six on the north side of second Street in this town and that James Leitch be the returning Officer, and for the Centre Ward the Election shall be held in the Town Hall and that James Dingwell be the returning Officer for holding such Election, also the place for holding

Appointment of Returning Officers & Polling Place for East Ward

the Election in the East Ward shall be the House of Dr James Dorsey on Lot Number Seven South side of third Street and the Returning officer shall be Wellington Ault Carried

By-Law Confirming Appointment of Returning Officers & Polling Places and 1st time

Moved by Councillor Matteci and seconded by Councillor McLean that the By-Law for the appointment of Polling places and Returning Officers for the purpose of holding the Elections be now read a first time Carried

The by-Law was accordingly read a first time

By-Law read 2nd & 3rd time passed & signed

Moved by the Reeve and seconded by Councillor Adams that the By-Law above referred to be now read a second and third time passed and signed by the mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the contrary Carried

The By-Law referred to was accordingly read a second and third time passed and signed by the mayor

John Martin Pauper

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Councillor Ross that the case of John Martin a pauper be left to the discretion of the mayor

Tenders for the letting of Lots

Moved by Councillor W. C. Allen and seconded by the Reeve that Tenders as asked for the renting of Portions of Lots Numbers ten and eleven North side of Water Street Tenders to be received until Monday the 18th instant at 7 O'clock Carried

Notice in order to petition the Legislature

Moved by Councillor Hodge and Seconded by Councillor Atchison that the necessary notice be given in order to petition the Legislature to grant power to this Council to enable them to grant a remission of municipal Taxes for a period of twenty-one years Carried

Sec Sh Butchers petition rec'd & read

Moved by W. C. Allen Councillor and seconded by Councillor Craig that the petition of the Butchers of this Town be received and Read Carried

The petition was accordingly read

Mr Orr refunded sum of $10.00

Moved by Councillor Atchison seconded by Councillor Craig that Mr Orr be refunded the sum of Ten Dollars agreeable to resolution passed January 28th 1871 and that the Mayor be & he is hereby authorized to sign an Order for same Carried

Joint petition of Walker & Brein

Moved by Councillor Mattice and seconded by the Reeve that the Joint petition of William Walker & John O'Brein be received & read Carried

The petition was then Received & read

petition to sewer granted

Moved By Councillor Atchison seconded by Councillor Turner that the Sum of $10.00 be granted to William Walker & John Brein for Extra Labour done at the main sewer when approved of by the Road committee it being the object of the above petition and that the Mayor be & he is hereby authorized to sign an order for the payment of Same Carried

Mayor to sign an order for the payment of Same

payment of A Perrys a/c

The Nuisance Committee to whom were referred the accounts recommend the payment of the account of A Perry for repairing Fire Engine and on motion of the Reeve seconded by Councillor Ross and Carried the account amounting to $31 65/100 was ordered to be paid

$31 65

Adjournment of Council

Moved by Councillor Mattice and Seconded by Councillor Ross that this Council now adjourn and do stand adjourned until Monday the 18th day of this present month at 7 Oclock Carried

John Sheets
Clerk

approved
A. Bethune
Mayor

Council Room Dec 18th 1871
Regular Meeting

Present the Mayor. Reeve Deputy-Reeve and Councillors Allen Turner Craig Mattice & Adams

Adjournment of Council

Moved by Councillor Allen and Seconded by Councillor Mattice that this Council do now adjourn and do Stand adjourned until this night three (3) weeks at 7.30 Oclock Carried

John Sheets
Clerk

approved
A. Bethune
Mayor

Cornwall January 8th 1872
Regular Meeting

Present the Mayor, Deputy-Reeve and Councillors McLean Turner

Adams, Ross Allen Atchison & Mallett

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

Moved by Councillor Ross and Seconded Mr. Lean that the Sum of Philip Silvester Amounting to $18.00 be paid as overseer on Main Sewer Carried

Communication from Dr. McInnes Hamilton considered in connection with Contemplated Cotton factory

Moved by Councillor W. C. Allen Seconded by the Deputy-Reeve that this Council having learned that D. McInnes Esq still urges the propriety of increasing the Bonus already passed by this Council in order to aid in the erection of the contemplated Cotton factory are of opinion that the amount already agreed upon cannot be increased but that they are still determined to recomend same and that the mayor be requested to communicate the Substance of this resolution to Mr. D. McInnes

Carried

Adjournment of Council

Moved by Councillor Mr. Lean and seconded by Councillor Turner that this Council now adjourn and do stand adjourned until Monday the 15th day of this present month at 10 Oclock in the forenoon

Carried

The Council then adjourned

John Skeith
Town Clerk

approved
A. Bethune
Mayor

Cornwall January 15th 1872
10 O'clock A M

Present, The Mayor, Deputy-Reeve and Councillors Allen, Hodge, McLean, Craig, Turner, Ross, Adams & Mattice

Minutes of former meeting read and Approved

Moved by Councillor Allen Sec^d by the Deputy-Reeve that the following accounts be paid, viz:

Payment

Duncan McDonald	Flags for main Sewer		$ 2.25
Hawkins Hart	Flags for Sewer		12.00
Phillip Eamer	"	"	3.50
James Silmser	"	"	6.00
A. J. Cameron	"	"	7.50
John Hart	Stone for main Sewer		4.37½
H. Clune	Flags	" "	7.50
Phillip Eamer	"	" "	5.50
Bank of Montreal	Interest		50.62
John McRae	do		3.00
Nelson Turner	Stone for Sewer		56.00
Michael Hartle	"	"	5.00
David Silmser	"	"	2.00
John O'Brien	Labour at	"	5.75
William Walker	"	"	4.50
Francis Lally	"	"	.50
John Lally	"	"	.25
Alex Barnhart	"	"	4.00
William Carpenter	"	"	4.00
Robt. Hart	"	"	5.75
Joseph Lozier	"	"	4.50
Charles Robinson	"	"	2.75
John Grey	"	"	1.35
Peter Mason	"	"	4.00
Jacob Crossford	"	"	2.00
			$ 204.59½

Accounts

Oct 14

	amt. Brot Ford			204.59½
Continued	Robt Franklin	Do	Do.	1.00
	William Roach	"	"	4.50
	Alex Anderson	Stone	"	.50
	Robt Clark	Work	"	2.00
	Joseph Sheeny	"	"	.50
Oct 7th	John O'Brien	"	"	1.00
	Wm Carpenter	"	"	1.00
	Pat. Duffy	"	"	.65
	Wm Walker	"	"	1.50
	Alfd Pourier	"	"	.50
	Louis Lelonde	"	"	1.00
Oct 21st	Wm Carpenter	"	"	1.75
	Robt. Clark	"	"	5.50
	Wm Roach	"	"	4.50
	Chas Robinson	"	"	3.50
	Robt Clark	"	"	5.00
	Jacob Crowford	"	"	4.50
	John Ledger	"	"	5.50
	Edward Linehan	"	"	3.75
	George Pearce	"	"	3.75
	Robt. Heiney	"	"	3.75
	Walter Sheeny	"	"	3.00
	James Corbiff	"	"	2.50
	John Reily	"	"	2.75
	Robt Franklin	"	"	1.00
	Duncan Grant	"	"	1.50
	Jacob Crowford	"	"	1.00
Oct 28th	Robt. Clark	"	"	5.75
	Chas Robinson	"	"	1.00
	Robert Clark	"	"	5.75
	John Ledger	"	"	4.50
	Edward Lanagan	"	"	5.75
	George Pearce	"	"	6.00
	Robt Heiney	"	"	6.00
	Matthew Sheeny	"	"	.50
				307.24½

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	Amount Brt. Forward		307.24½
Philip Carpenter	Labor at Sewer		15.50
James Conliff	"	"	5.50
John Kiely	"	"	5.75
Robt Franklin	"	"	4.75
Duncan Grant	"	"	5.75
Wm Walker	"	"	3.50
John O'Brien	"	"	4.50
Elias Heath	"	"	5.00
John Keenan	"	"	2.50
Wm Roach	"	"	3.00
John Dervis	"	"	.50
James Deeny	"	"	1.50
Wm Guy	"	"	.25
John Doan	"	"	1.00
Peter Mason	"	"	4.00
Wm Walker & John O'Brien	"	"	16.00
4th Nov. Robt Clark	"	"	5.00
Robt. Clark Jr	"	"	5.00
Elias Heath	"	"	5.00
John Reilly	"	"	4.00
James Conliff	"	"	4.50
James Deeny	"	"	2.75
John Doan	"	"	5.00
Edward Langan	"	"	5.00
George Pierce	"	"	5.00
Robt Henry	"	"	5.00
Wm Roach	"	"	4.50
John Ledge	"	"	1.00
Wm Conliff	"	"	4.50
Philip Carpenter	"	"	6.50
David Selmser	"	"	4.00
Joseph Libon	"	"	3.50
Robt Anderson	"	"	4.00
Duncan Grant	"	"	3.00
			463.49½

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	Amount Brot. Forward		463.49½
	Wm Innes Labour on Sewer	—	1.00
	John D Breen "	"	1.75
	Wm Walker "	"	1.25
	Olivier Delisle "	"	1.00
	Walker & O Breen "	"	10.00
Nov 8th	Joseph Lebow "	"	1.00
	Robt Henry "	"	3.00
	George Pierce "	"	3.00
	Edward Lanagan "	"	3.00
	John Coan "	"	2.50
	John Wm Innes "	"	3.00
Nov 11th	Robt Clark "	"	5.00
	Elias Heath "	"	6.00
	John Kiely "	"	5.50
	James Coakley "	"	1.00
	John Coan "	"	1.00
	Edward Lanagan "	"	2.75
	George Pearce "	"	2.75
	Robt Henry "	"	2.75
	Wm Roach "	"	5.50
	Robt Anderson "	"	6.00
	Duncan Grant "	"	6.00
	John Breen "	"	2.75
	Wm Walker "	"	1.25
	Olivier Delisle "	"	1.50
	Philip Carpenter "	"	3.00
Nov 18th	William Roach "	"	3.00
	Edward Lanagan "	"	2.00
	George Pearce "	"	2.00
	Robt Henry "	"	2.00
	Elias Heath "	"	1.00
	James Kiely "	"	1.00
	Duncan Grant "	"	2.00
	Robt Anderson "	"	2.00
			561.74½

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	Amount of Pay Roll Down	$61.74½
	John Cooke Labour as Sewer	2.00
	John Breen " "	1.25
	Philip Carpenter " "	3.30
	Pat. Dennehy " "	2.50
	Walker & Breen " "	9.00
		$79.79½

This amount was finally passed this day and one order issued for amount Viz $79.79½

And the following amounts for municipal purposes as per accounts rendered

	Wm Kent for plank for Bridges &c	$ 2.61
	J & J. Robertson Scantling for Side Walks	19.80
	Henry Silmser 38¼ Cords of rubble stone	8.43
	Alex Anderson for work on roads with Team	12.80
	John Marten " " " " $2.50	2.70
	John Anderson " " " "	1.20
	John McDonald " " " "	3.50
	Alex Anderson " " " "	4.45
	Philip Carpenter " " " "	8.00
	David Silmser " " " "	6.40
	Alex Carpenter " " " "	1.75
	Daniel Wood 6½ Cords rubble Stone	14.62
	Wm Moon work with Team on 9th Street	7.50
	Alex. Anderson " " " "	31.00
	Michael Galliger " " " "	11.75
	Dan Gillespie " " " "	6.50
	Joseph Boprie " " " "	1.00
	Michael Renie " " " "	2.75
	Chas Robinson " " " "	2.75
	Michael McEnis Cedar for Bridge on 9th Street	8.60
	Alex Anderson Taking out Stumps on " "	3.00
	Daniel Kirk 13⅜ Cords rubble Stone	30.19
	P. E. Adams Lumber as per a/c	12.68
	John McPhee Sundries as per a/c	15.27

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✓	Michael Revier Work on roads	$2.50
✓	Ben Anderson " Carting pete.	1.27½
✓	Wm Bender & Others wood for Town Hall	20.37½
✓	James Kilgour Sundries as per a/c	36.14
✓	G. T. R Sundry paupers to Montreal	1.50
✓	Wm Guy Cartage	50
✓	John Quail & others Wood for paupers	12.50
✓	Wm Lovell for Printing Auditors Report 70 & 71,	26.43
✓	William Haug Taking paupers to Montreal	10.25
✓	Alex Anderson Work on roads with Team	16.60
✓	John O'Brien " "	4.40
✓	Michael Revier " "	2.40
✓	Wm Carpenter " "	4.40
✓	Dan Gillespie " "	5.85
✓	Patrick Duffy " "	3.00
✓	Philip Carpenter " "	9.00
✓	W. Walker " "	1.50
✓	Alfd. Sowrie " "	1.50
✓	Owen Callaghan Repair to Engine	17.90
✓	John Keith for Salary, Selecting Jurors, etc.	55.14
✓	Roland Snetsinger work at Town Hall	19.53½
✓	P. E. Adams Groceries &c for paupers	12.71
✓	Wm Smith for work as per a/c	1.87½
✓	William Mattice Sons Sundries as per a/c	8.25½
✓	Nelson Turner " " " "	2.55
✓	Cornwall Gazette printing as per a/c	10.25
✓	William Mc Allen House rent for pauper	24.00
✓	" " " Selecting Jurors	4.00
✓	Mrs Anderson & Other for Cleaning Town Hall	1.05
✓	G. T. R Sundry paupers to Prescott	1.50
✓	John Dewar Supplying meals to prisoners	1.50
✓	Philip Carpenter work on roads	2.00
✓	William Rook " " "	2.50
✓	John Brien " " "	2.25
✓	Robert Clark " " "	.30
✓	Charles Robinson " " "	.50

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x	James Dingwall	3 days	Ass. Assessor	$ 6.00
x	James Leitch	" "	" "	6.00
x	C. Ault	" "	" "	6.00
x	James Massey	" "	Use of House	6.00
x	Angus Talbot	" "	" "	6.00
x	Angus Bethune	Mayor Selecting Jurors 1871		4.00
x	James Kilgour	One Years Salary as Treasurer		25.00

Carried unanimously

By. Law for the payment of accounts read a 1st time

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and Seconded by Councillor Adams that the By-Law for the payment of accounts for the past year be now read a first time

Carried.

The By-Law was accordingly read a first time

By-Law same read a 2nd & 3rd time passed & Signed

Moved by Councillor Ross and Seconded by Councillor Craig that the By-Law for the payment of accounts for the past year be now read a second & third time passed & signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the contrary

Carried

The By-Law was accordingly read a second & third time passed & Signed by the Mayor

Councillor McLean in the Chair

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and Seconded by Councillor Hodge that the Mayor do now leave the Chair and that Councillor McLean do take the same

Carried

Address to

The Mayor then left the Chair & room when it was moved by the Deputy-Reeve and seconded by Councillor Turner, that the members of this Council, at this their last meeting desire to record their full appreciation of the faithful and

his

Worship the Mayor

efficient manner in which Angus Bethune Esq has discharged the onerous duties of Mayor and Chief magistrate of this Town during the past year— and further that this Council do return him their sincere thanks for the kind and courteous bearing he has always shown to each and every member thereof— and be it also resolved that a copy of this resolution signed by the Clerk and Chairman and with the Official seal attached thereto, be presented to Wm Bethune

Carried Unanimously

The Council then dissolved

John Keith
Town Clerk

Approved
A. Bethune
Mayor

Cornwall January 15th 1872

Council Room Town Hall
12 O'Clock noon

The following members of Council having filed the necessary declarations of Office and Qualification took their seats viz

new	William Cox Allen	Mayor	—
	Corydon J. Mattice	Reeve	
	Angus Bethune	Deputy-Reeve	
	Andrew Hodge	Councillor	South Ward
Council	Robt Craig	Do	Do Do
	Nelson Turner	Do	Do Do
	Alexander McLean	Do	East Ward
	Gregor Mattice	Do	West Do
	Alexander T. Ross	Do	Do Do
	Hugh McCallum Sen.	Do	Do Do

appointment of Clerk

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and Seconded by Councillor Gregor Mattice that John Keith Jr. be reappointed Clerk at a salary of One Hundred dollars per annum which is to include all fees for Registration of Births, Marriages and deaths Carried Unanimously

appointment of Treasurer

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and Seconded by Councillor Turner that James Kilgour be reappointed Town Treasurer at the same Salary as last year viz Twenty five dollars ($25 00) Carried unanimously

Appointment of

Moved by the Reeve and Seconded by the Deputy-Reeve that Hugh Murchison be reappointed for the Current year on the Same terms as the past year Viz two Dollars per day when actually engaged

Carried

Auditors

The Mayor named Duncan Monroe as second Auditor on the Same terms

Appointment of

Moved by Councillor McCallum Seconded by Councillor Ross that the following parties be pound Keepers for the Ensuing year Viz

John Moor for the East Ward, and that his pound be kept on Lot number one north of Eighth Street in this Town

William Clark for the West Ward and that his pound be kept on Lot number twenty-six South of Second Street in this Town

and that Daniel Carpenter and John Devaar be pound Keepers for the Centre Ward of this Town and that the said Daniel Carpenter ~~keep~~ his pound on Lot number Sixteen South of Eighth Street and the said John Devaar keep his pound on Lot number Sixteen South of Fourth Street in the said Town of Cornwall

Pound Keepers

Carried

By Law Confirming the Appointment of municipal Officers read a 1st time

Moved By the Deputy-Reeve and Seconded by Councillor Ross that the By Law for the appointments of Clerk, Treasurer Auditors and Pound Keepers be now read a first time

Carried

By Law

The By-Law was accordingly read a first time

Read a 2nd and 3rd time

Moved by Councillor McCallum and seconded by Councillor Craig that the By-Law for the appointment of the foregoing municipal officers be now read a second and third time passed and signed by the mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the contrary

Carried

The By-Law was accordingly read a second and third time passed and signed by the mayor

Appointment of Road Committee

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Councillor Ross that the following members of this Council be the Road Committee for the current year Viz Councillor Hodge McCallum & Atchison

Carried

Jamaica Committee

Moved by Councillor Mattice seconded by Councillor McLean that the Deputy-Reeve and Councillors Ross & Craig be the Jamaica Committee for the current year

Carried

Communication relative to the Contemplated Cotton Factory

Councillor Hodge read a letter which he had received from George Steven Esq of Montreal enclosing a telegram from Mr McInnes of Hamilton relative to the contemplated Cotton Factory which was discussed and the unanimous feeling expressed that this Council would not deviate from the resolution already adopted

Moved by the Reeve and seconded by Councillor McCallum that this

adjournment of Council

Council do now adjourn and do Stand adjourned until the Evening of Monday the 29th instant at 7.30 Oclock

Carried

The Council then adjourned

John Skeith
Clerk

Approved
Wm. L. Gillies
Mayor

Cornwall January 22nd 1872

— Special Meeting —

Communication from D. McLennan Esq

A Special meeting of the Town Council was called this evening for the purpose of taking into consideration a letter received from D. McLennan Esq of Hamilton relative to the Contemplated Cotton Factory and also to give notice of the Introduction of a By-Law Granting aid to Cotton and woollen Factories, at the next meeting of Council and was present—

D. McLennan Esq

The Mayor- Reeve- Deputy-Reeve and Councillors Hodge- Atchison Craig- McCallum- Ross- Turner & McLean

The Mayor read the following letter from D. McLennan Esq in connection with the Contemplated Cotton Factory which on motion of Councillor McLean and seconded by Councillor Turner was ordered to be recorded on the minutes of Council

Considered

Hamilton January 20. 1872

Dear Sir

Letter referred to

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your communication advising me that Corporation having regard to the Existing Evils borne by the people of Cornwall have after due consideration deemed it

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prudent not to increase those burthens by granting the additional aid asked for by me to the extent of six thousand dollars for the contemplated Cotton mill and stating that their refusal to grant my request is just entirely [illegible] of that proposal. I have always been ready to admit that it is the duty of every Corporation to exercise care and prudence in not taxing the people beyond what they can bear or beyond their ability to pay - nor have I ever found fault with the inhabitants of Cornwall for want of public spirit or liberality in the encouragement of manufacturing industry in their midst - and for which their locality appears to me to be so well suited. what I have said, and what I think is only due to myself and the interests which I represent, I should endeavor to point out and make clear to your people is, that the Mill which we contemplate erecting there will be larger, will employ more labour than the Others to which you allude put together, and to which they have been so liberal, that it will in fact, tend to reduce their burthens, and will - I believe, do more in this direction and confer greater advantages on them than the Others combined, yet I receive a smaller measure of encouragement than even the smallest of them. I say. therefore, that this is not even handed liberality.

You are good enough to admit frankly, your belief that the undertaking would greatly benefit your town. and that you would regret if the decision of your Corporation will deprive the people

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of the advantages to be conferred by it.

I shall be equally frank with you and admit that Cornwall appears to me to offer some special facilities, the main one being the Labour which Mr Warwick informs me, is of a superior class. —

While I cannot but regret that it should be deemed necessary to decline my request at the present time I am willing, with the Consent of my colleagues in the undertaking, to go on with it at Cornwall on the understanding that if it should be found that my anticipations of the benefit which it will confer on the people are realized (the additional bonus asked for will not be burthensome to the people and it can be given without unduly pressing on any one) that it will be done will you therefore have the goodness to call your Council together for the consideration of this Letter and let me have their reply with as little delay as possible and much oblige, Yours very respectfully

and faithfully

(Signed) D McLennes

The Mayor &
Cornwall &c.

whereupon it was moved by Angus McKethnie Esq Deputy-Reeve and seconded by Councillor Col McLean

Resolution in connection with Contemplated Cotton factory

That this Council having read the letter of D McLennes Esq dated Hamilton 20th January 1872 addressed to his Worship the Mayor in which that Gentleman in his Capacity of managing Director of the Contemplated Cotton Factory states that the Company represented by him in said Cotton-

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-rise has decided to erect said Factory on the Conditions already passed by this Council on the 13th April 1871 on the understanding that should the Corporation of this Town subsequently consider that the benifit derivable from said Factory is of such a character as would warrant a further addition to the bonus already decided on as per resolution above alluded to and provided the finances of the Town hereafter warrants such an additions

Copy to be sent to D McInnes Esq

Be it therefore resolved - That this Council unhesitatingly agrees to said Conditions and that a copy of this resolution signed by the Mayor and Clerk with the official seal of this Corporation attached thereto be sent to D McInnes Esq

Carried unanimously

By-Law to be introduced Cotton & Woollen Factories

The Reeve gave notice that at the next meeting of Council he would give aid to introduce a By-Law granting aid to Cotton and Woollen Factories

John Skeith
Town Clerk

approved
Wm Allen
Reeve

Council Room January 29th 1872

Regular Meeting

The Council met pursuant to adjournment

Present the Mayor. Reeve - Deputy-Reeve and Councillors Atchison Hodges McCallum Turner & Craig

Minutes read

The Minutes of the former meeting were read and approved

Mr D. B. McKeeman was allowed to

Mr D. McLennan addressed the Council relative to the incorporation of that portion of the Township adjoining this town occupied by the Factory & mill. the further consideration of same was postponed until the next meeting of Council

Mr D. McLennan addressed the Council in connection with the incorporation of certain portion of land adjoining the town

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and seconded by Councillor Atchison that this Council now adjourn and do stand adjourned until Thursday the 8th inst. at 7.30 Oclock

Carried

Adjournment of Council

The Council then adjourned

John S Keith
Clerk

approved
Wm L Allen. Mayor.

Council Room Feby 8th 1872

The Council met pursuant to adjournment, the members present were the Mayor Reeve - Deputy-Reeve and Councillors Hodge, McCallum, Atchison Ross Turner McLean & Mattice

Minutes read

The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and approved

Mr D. B. McLennan was present and addressed the board relative to the incorporation of certain portion of Land adjoining this town and referred to in the minutes of the former meeting.

Mr D. B. McLennan addresses the board Subject same as preceding meeting

Moved by the Reeve and Seconded by Councillor McCallum that the following Accounts be paid viz Gilbert Irons for Glazing Town Hall (as per bill) be paid viz $11.15

Account paid

Carried

Moved by Councillor Hodge and Seconded by Councillor Atchison that this Council now adjourn and

Adjournment

do Stand adjourned until Monday
the 12th instant at 7.30 P.M.
Carried

Jno Skeits
Clerk

Approved
Wm. C. Allen. Mayor

Council Room Febz 12th 1872

The Council met pursuant to adjournment
Present the Mayor, Reeve, Deputy Reeve and
Councillors McLean Ross McCallum Craig Turner
and Mallett

The minutes of the former meeting were
read and approved

A resolution was brought forward
relative to the incorporation of a portion of land
adjoining this Town and already referred
to former minutes of this Council, but
inasmuch as the resolution was incomplete
was left over until the next meeting

Payment — Moved by the Reeve and seconded by
Councillor McLean that the following accounts
be paid Viz

Joseph Bailey. Paid hst at Jire as per a/c $0.40

J — Sundry persons for Expenses in sending John
Martin to General Hospital and for funeral
Expenses etc ~~~~~ $19.95

accounts — Hugh Campbell rough'ing door sills
at Town Hall 4 stone @ 1/3 ea $1.00 ~~~~~ 4.00

Telegraph a/c ~~~~~ .31

Carried

Appointment — Moved by Councillor Turner seconded
by Councillor Ross that John Snetsinger
be appointed Tavern Licence Inspector for
the Current Year at a Salary of Ten
of — dollars per annum Carried

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and seconded by Councillor McCallum that the By-Law for the appointment of Tavern Licence Inspector for the Current year be now read a first time Carried The By-Law was accordingly read a first time

Moved by the Reeve and seconded by Councillor McLean that the By-Law for the appointment of John Snetsinger as Tavern Licence Inspector for the Current year be now read a second and third time passed and Signed by the mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the contrary

Carried

The By-Law was accordingly read a second and third time passed and Signed by the mayor

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and seconded by Councillor Craig that this Council now adjourn and do stand adjourned until tomorrow (Tuesday) the 13th inst at 4 O.Clock

Carried

The Council then adjourned

John Keith
Clerk

Approved
Wm. Allen. Mayor.

Feby 13th 1872

4 O.Clock P.M.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment
The members present were his worship the mayor
Reeve, Deputy Reeve and Councillors Mattice
McCallum Hosky McLean Turner and Craig

The minutes of the preceding meeting
were read and approved

Payment of accounts

Moved by Councillor G Mattici and seconded by Councillor McLean that the following accounts be paid viz
From A Man for Cedar timber for Bridges &c ——— $3.75
D.C. Lewis & Co Coal Oil, Freight & Chgs 17.25
Carried

Resignation of I Smithinger

The Resignation of Mr John Smithinger as Tavern Licence Inspector was read and on motion of Councillor Mattici seconded by Coun. McCallum was accepted

Appointment of J.C. Johnston as Tavern

Moved by Councillor Mattici and seconded by Councillor Craig that James C. Johnstone be appointed Tavern Licence Inspector for the ensuing year
Carried

Licence Inspector

Moved by Councillor Mattici seconded by Councillor Turner that the by Law for the appointment of James C Johnstone be now read a first time
Carried

The by-Law was then read a first time

By. Law

Moved by the Depty-Reeve and seconded by Councillor McLean that the By-Law for the appointment of Tavern Licence Inspector be now read a seconded and third time passed and signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the Contrary
Carried

read a 2nd & 3rd time

The By-Law was accordingly read a second and third time passed & Signed by the Mayor

The Mayor called the attention of the Council first to the necessity of having

a proper building outside the limits of this Corporation for the purpose of removing any patients that might be stricken with any contagious disease Second to acquire land outside of this municipality for a public cemetery and Lastly for the establishment of a public Scale for weighing Hay &c. &c. said Scale to be under the control of this Council

Petition to Provincial Treasurer praying that certificate for the payment of Wm Bristoe's Salary not granted &c.

moved by Corydon L. Mattice Esq^r Reeve and seconded by Councillor Cobb McLean and resolved That an humble petition be presented to the Honorable the Provincial Treasurer of the Province of Ontario respectfully praying that a Certificate for payment of the account of William Bristoe as commissioner appointed to inquire into the financial affairs of the municipality of the Town of Cornwall should not be signed by the said Provincial Treasurer for reasons as set forth in the following petition

To the Honorable
Alexander McKenzie
Treasurer Province of Ont.

Petition

The petition of the mayor and Corporation of the Town of Cornwall Humbly sheweth as follows

1st That a commission was issued in the month of March 1871 by his excellency the Lieutenant Governor of Ontario authorizing one William Bristoe to examine and report upon some alleged irregularities in the financial accounts of your petitioners

Petition Continued

2nd Your Petitioners are informed and truly believe that the said commission was issued upon a petition alleged to have been signed by ~~thirty~~ (30) duly qualified electors of Your Petitioners

3rd Your Petitioners beg leave to state as a fact, that said petition was not signed by thirty duly qualified electors as is in such case made and provided requires before such Commission could be issued and this Your Petitioners are able to prove

4th Your Petitioners beg leave further to state that there was no ground to suspect that any irregularities existed in the financial affairs of the said Corporation but that strong personal and political feeling alone prompted the desire to make such appear

5th Your Petitioners beg leave also to state that there are appended to the petition on which the commission was granted the names of three (3) parties who were not duly qualified electors when said petition was signed and also that many of the remaining names there to attached are not bona fide Signatures and were not signed by the parties represented but were signed thereto by a party - or parties without even the Consent of such duly qualified electors

6th Your Petitioners beg further to state that they are able to prove that the said William Bristow acted most partially and unjustly in taking the evidence under the said Commission and in the

inferences drawn from such evidence and in making his report that the said William Bristow was frequently drunk while engaged in making the same and that much greater time was occupied by him than was necessary

7th Your Petitioners therefore pray that you will be pleased to refuse to the said William Bristow a certificate for payment of his alleged services under the said Commission if you should be of opinion that the said William Bristow is entitled to a certificate that then only a certificate granting to him such Compensation as a Jury may award may be given to him your Petitioners hereby agreeing not to raise any defence of a technical nature to any action which the said William Bristow may bring upon the same but to proceed to the trial thereof upon the merits and your Petitioners will ever pray

8th Your Petitioners beg leave also to state that this petition was read to and unanimously approved of by the Corporation of the Town of Cornwall at a regular meeting of said municipal body held this day

John S Keith Clerk (Signed) W.C. Allen Mayor

Cornwall Ontario
Feby 12th 1872

Moved by the Reeve and Seconded by Councillor Craig and Resolved that this Council do now

adjourn and do stand adjourned until
monday the 26th inst at 7.30 oclock
The Council now adjourned

John Smith
Clerk

Approved
Wm. P. Allen
Mayor

Special Meeting
Febz 19th 1872

The Mayor in the Chair
Present the Reeve the
Deputy Reeve and Councillors Colo McLean
McCallum Craig Mattice Atchison
Turner Hodge & Ross

The Mayor stated that the
meeting was called for the purpose
of adopting a resolution and petition
to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor
relative to the redistribution of the Wards
of this town and the annexing a certain
portion of the Township to the said
Town

Moved by Corydon J. Mattice Esqr
Reeve and seconded by Councillor
Colo Wm McLean and Resolved —

Resolution

"That it is desirable and expedient
that a new division into Wards be made
in the said Town of Cornwall and that
for the future the said town be divided
into Wards as follows, the west Ward

description of Land

Embracing all that part of the said
Town lying between Cumberland Street
the western boundary of the said town
and Pitt Street, the Centre Ward Embra-
-cing all that part of the said town
lying between Pitt Street and Gloucester
Street

Description Street and the East Ward Embracing
all that part of said Town between
Gloucester Street and Marlborough Street
the Eastern boundary of the said Town
and also the following land at present
situate in the township of Cornwall
adjacent to the said Town of Cornwall
being composed of those parts of Lots
numbers seven and eight including
Potash Point in the first Concession of
the township of Cornwall in the County
of Stormont which may be described
as follows Commencing at a
post where the Queens highway known
as the Montreal road intersects
Marlborough street the Eastern
Boundary of the said Town of Cornwall
and at the north west angle of the
Land of Darby Bergin Esquire
M D thence North Eighty-three
degrees East Eight Chains and Eleven
links thence north seventy-five degrees
East fourteen Chains and thirty-
four links to a post thence South twenty
four degrees East fifteen Chains and
Sixty-one links to the river Saint Lawrence
thence westerly along the Northern
bank of the River St Lawrence to the
Southern limit of the range of Town
Lots on the south side of Water Street
in the said Town of Cornwall thence
North seventy-eight degrees East thirty
nine Chains to the east side of
Marlborough Street aforesaid
thence North twelve degrees west two

Chains

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Chains to the place of beginning Containing by actual admeasurement Seventy-Seven acres and fourteen perches of land and that from the proximity to the said Town of Cornwall of the streets and buildings on the said land and with the view of enabling the said Town of Cornwall by the remission of Dues and the granting of Bonuses to encourage and foster existing and contemplated manufactories now being, and in future to be carried on upon the said land it is expedient and desirable that the said lands should be added to and form part of the said Town of Cornwall and that the said lands when so added do constitute a part of the East Ward of the said town and that the Council do forthwith petition his Excellency the Lieutenant Governor of the province of Ontario to issue a proclamation dividing the said Town of Cornwall into new wards as aforesaid and adding to the said town of Cornwall the lands hereinbefore described

Petition

To His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Ontario

The humble petition of the municipal Council of the Corporation of the Town of Cornwall in the County of Stormont respectfully sheweth as follows -

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1st. The following parcel of land being "Composed of those parts of lots "numbers seven and eight including "Potash Point in the first Concession of

His Excellency Lieut Governor

"the Township of Cornwall in the County
"of Stormont which may be described as
"as follows, Commencing at a point when
"the Queen's highway known as the Montreal
"road intersects Marlborough Street the
"Eastern boundary of the said Town of
"Cornwall, and at the north west angle
"of the land of Darby Bergin Esquire N D
"thence North eighty nine degrees East
"Chains and Eleven Links, thence north
"Seventy-four degrees East fourteen Chains
"and ninty four links to a post thence
"South twenty-four degrees East fifteen
"Chains and sixty-one Links to the river
"St Lawrence thence westerly along
"the northern Bank of the River
"Saint Lawrence to the Southern limit
"of the range of town Lots on the
"South side of Water Street in the
"said Town of Cornwall, thence north
"seventy-Eight degrees East thirty nine
"Chains to the East side of Marlborough
"Street aforesaid, thence north twelve
"degrees west two Chains to the place of
"beginning, containing by actual ad-
"measurement seventy-seven acres
"and fourteen perches of land, alth-
"ough at present situate in the Township
"of Cornwall aforesaid lies immediat-
"ely adjacent to the said Town of Cornwall
"and is already partially divided into
"town Lots and intersected with Streets and
"occupied by a population of one hundred
"and fifty four Souls engaged in-
"Manufactories and other similar Emp-

loyments

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"Employment but now of whom are en-
"gaged in farming except William
"Mallee Esquire who now cultivates
"that part of the said parcel of land not
"yet laid out into town Lots
"2nd An almost unlimited supply of water
"power derived from the Cornwall-
"Canal can be used in propelling
"machinery upon the said lands
"and the said water power is now
"employed in the manufacture of
"pottery-ware and in propelling
"the machinery of a grist mill and
"a woollen factory employing
"the Labor of one hundred persons
"in the manufacture of tweeds and
"blankets
3 "The said woollen factory was
"at first erected in the year 1867
"and in the month of December
"1870 was accidently destroyed by
"fire
4 "the advantages derived by the
"said Town of Cornwall from the
"said Woolen factory for the short
"period the same was in operation
"induced the municipal Council
"of the said Town of Cornwall to offer
"to pay to the Cornwall manufacturing
"Company the proprietors of the said
"woolen factory a bonus of
"$6000.00 - with a remission of all
"Local and municipal taxes for a
"period of twenty-one years provided
"the said woolen factory were rebuilt

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"and the parcel of land hereinbefore
"described were incorporated with and
"added to the said Town of Cornwall
5" "The said woolen factory has been
"rebuilt by the Cornwall manufacturing
"Company upon the faith of the said
"promise of the Council of the said Town
"of Cornwall
6" The Council of the said town have
"also offered a bonus of four thousand
"dollars with a remission of all
"municipal and local taxes to the
"Canada Cotton manufacturing
"Company which contemplates the
"building of a large Cotton factory
"upon the said parcel of land herein-
"before described upon the like condi-
"tion that the said land is added
"to the said Town
7" The carrying on of the said manu-
"factures and other manufactures
"which will undoubtedly follow upon
"the said land will be of the utmost ad-
"vantage to the Country at large and
"Especially to the said town of Cornwall
8" The Owners and occupants of the said
"parcel of Land almost unanimously
"desire to have the said land added
"to the said Town of Cornwall
9" The said Town of Cornwall is at
"present divided into three wards as
"follows - The west ward comprising all
"that part of the said Town between Sum-
"merland Street the western boundary
"the western Boundary of said Town and

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"Augusta Street the center ward com-
"prising all that part of the said town
"between Augustus street and Amelia
"Street and the East ward comprising
"all that part of the said town between
"Amelia Street and Marlborough
"Street the Eastern boundary of the
"said town

10 "the Chief portion of the occupants of
"the said parcel of land became occup-
"ants as aforesaid since the erection
"of the said woolen factory and in
"consequence of the erection of the said
"woolen factory and the other con
"templated factories yet to be erec-
"ted, the said Town of Cornwall will
"extend in an easterly direction being
"the direction in which the said Town
"lies

11 At a meeting of the municipal
"Council of the said Town of Cornwall
"held on the nineteenth day of February
"1872 (see Resolution in these minutes)

Your petitioners therefore pray
"that Your Excellency may be pleased
to issue a proclamation dividing
the said town into new wards as in
the said resolution specified and
adding to the said town the said
parcel of land

And your petitioners as in duty
bound will ever pray

John Smith
Town Clerk

(Signed) W. C. Allen
Mayor

Approved Wm. C. Allen Mayor

Council Room
Feby 26. 1872

Present C. S. Mattice Esq Reeve and
Councillors Hodge and Mc Callum
There not being Quorum no business was
transacted John Skuth
Clerk

Council Room Feby 29. 1872
A special meeting was call for the purpose
of receiving applications for Tavern
and Shop Licence for ensuing year
The Mayor in the Chair
Present the Deputy-Reeve and
Councillors Mc Lean Mc Callum Ross
Mattice & Craig
Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and
Seconded by Councillor Craig That the
following persons be granted Tavern
Licence Certificates for the ensuing year
they each having filed the necessary
petition and Secretaries Inspector's certificate
viz Michael Mc Enery Ranald Mc Donell
J B Mc Kenzie John Broderick
and John Devaney —
also that Shop Licence Certificates be
granted to the following three persons
they also having complied with the
Law viz George & D. Mc Donell
R. W. Macfarlan and T. E. Adams —
Carried
Moved by Councillor Mc Callum
and Seconded by Councillor Colen
Mc Lean that Certificate of Licence
be granted to William H. Dunkin

Certificates of Tavern Licence

Certificates of Shop Licence

Certificate of Tavern Licence

upon his furnishing the necessary the ~~necessary~~ certificate from the Inspector of Licence and otherwise complying with the requirements of the Law

Carried

The Council then rose

John Keith
Town Clerk

Wm. L. Allen.
Mayor

Council Room, March 16. 1872

Special Meeting
5, O'Clock P.M.

A Special meeting was called this afternoon for the purpose of Granting a Tavern Licence ~~Certificate~~ The Mayor in the Chair. Present the Reeve Deputy Reeve and Councillors McCallum, Turner & Craig

Tavern Licence

The mayor Explained the object of the meeting after which it was moved by the Reeve and seconded by Councillor McCallum ~~that~~ Robert Conroy be granted a Licence Certificate to keep a Tavern or Inn in this Town he having ~~petitioned~~ petitioned this Council and presented the Licences Inspectors Certificate

Certificate

Granted

Carried

The Council then rose

John Keith
Clerk

Wm. L. Allen
Mayor

Monday 25th Mar 1872

Present the mayor - Reeve - Deputy - Reeve and Councillors Matteci & McCallum this not being a quorum no business was transacted

John Keith Clerk

Council Room March 27. 1872

Special meting for Funeral business

The mayor in the Chair

Present the Reeve, Deputy-Reeve and Councillors Craig Matteci Atchison Turner McCallum & Ross

The minute of the former metings were read and approved

minute ammended by this clause said clause rescinded for time

The Auditors report was presented and on motion of Councillor Matteci seconded by Councillor Atchison was referred to the Finance Committee

Moved by the reeve seconded by Councillor McCallum and Resolved That Adam Eligh be reappointed Assessor for this Town for the ensuing year at a salary of Sixty Dollars ($60) per annum

Moved by Councillor Turner and Seconded by Councillor Matteci that the By-Law for the appointment of Adam Eligh as assessor for this Town for the ensuing year be now read a first time Carried

The By-Law was accordingly read a first time

Moved the Deputy-Reeve and Seconded by Councillor Craig that the By-Law above referred to be now read a second and third time passed and Signed by the mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the contrary Carried

The By-Law was accordingly read a second and third time passed and Signed by the Mayor

Mr Smart made application to the Council for liberty to build a small storehouse on pitt

Street adjoining the canal wharf.

The Council do not feel authorized to lease same, or to give any liberty in the premises, but as a corporation shall make no objection thereto subject to the removal when the public interest demands

Moved by the Reeve and seconded by Councillor Ross and resolved, that the Mayor- Deputy-Reeve Councillor Hodge and the mover be a Committee to select a proper site on which to build an Hospital that said Committee be, and they are hereby authorized to build such hospital of the size and dimentions as to them may seem best

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and seconded by Councillor McCallum that proceedings in the case of the Corporation of the Town of Cornwall against Vincent Abadie for default in Collectors Rolls and also for other amounts due this town be prosecuted. Carried

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and seconded by Councillor Craig that the mayor be requested to communicate with the Attorney General of the province of Ontario in order to get the true meaning of certain clauses in the Statutes in reference to the duties of magistrates in certain cases Carried

A petition was presented by a Committee from the different Temperance Organizations of this Town praying that this Council would take such steps as to them seemed best for enforcing the Law relating to drunkeness on the Streets and

for the closing of taverns at the proper hour by the Council on saturday night it was resolved, that every effort in order to enforce a due observance of the Law an By Laws relating thereto and on motion of the Reeve seconded by Councillor Turner that the clerk be requested to communicate with the different Lodges in this Town in accordance with the above Carried

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and seconded by Councillor McCallum that the mayor and Clerk be requested to forward a petition to the Domion Government urging the necessity which exists here for a Customs House and Post Office and praying that same be erected here as soon as possible the public interests demanding such

The mayor again urged the necessity for a cemetry adjoining this Town, and also for a hay scales to be under the control of the Town authorities, which on motion was deferred until next meeting of Council

The following is a copy of the petition above referred to

Cornwall Feby 26th 1872

To the mayor and Corporation of the Town of Cornwall

At a meeting of a union committee appointed by the different Temperance Lodges of this Town, to take into Consideration the best means to prevent the increase of drunkeness &c resulting from the violation of certain Laws regarding the sale of intoxicating drinks after the proscribed hour on saturday nights and on the Sabbath day, it was unanimously

resolved that on behalf of the different Organizations which they represent they do humbly petition the mayor and Town Council to take such steps as they may deem proper to enforce the laws relating thereto, and also that they put in force without favour or partiality the By Law relating to drunkiness on the streets

(Signed) J. O. Lewis
Dan. MacCrimmon
John McAdam
Wm. Pollock
D. Monroe
John Snetsinger
Committee

Moved by the Reeve and Seconded by Councillor Atchison that this Council now adjourn and do stand adjourned until monday the 15th day of April at 7.30

Carried

The Council thon rose

John Smith
Clerk

J. McCallum
Reeve

Monday 15th April

No meeting

John Smith Clerk

May 6th 1872

Regular Meeting

The Reeve in the Chair

Present the Deputy-Reeve and Councillors Hodge McLean Atchison Ross & McCallum

Minutes read and approved

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and Secd by Councillor Atchison that the auditors report for the past year be received and read

Carried

The report was then read

Moved by Councillor Hodge and seconded by Councillor In Law - that the report just read be referred to the finance committee and said committee report this Council at its next sitting

Carried

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and Seconded Councillor Atchison that the following members of Council constitute the Court of Revision for the Current year viz the Mayor - Reeve, Deputy-Reeve and Councillors Ross & Turner

Carried

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and seconded by Councillor Atchison that the said Court of Revision hold its first sitting on Monday next the 20th instant at the hour of 10 - O Clock in the forenoon

Carried

Moved by Councillor Atchison and Seconded by Councillor Ross that the following account be paid viz

Hugh Murchison	7½ days auditing Treasurers Books	$15.00
Duncan Monroe	7½ " " " "	15.00
John Steele	1 Qr. Salary ends April 15th	25.00

Carried

Moved by Councillor Atchison and seconded by the Deputy-Reeve that

That this Council now adjourn and do stand adjourned until next monday Evening the 13th inst at 7.30 Oclock Carried

Approved

John Keith Clerk

Jonathan Reeve

Council Room May 13. 1872

Adjourned Meeting

The Reeve in the Chair

Present the Deputy Reeve and Councillors McLean Craig Mattice Turner Atkinson & Ross

The minutes of the former meeting were read and approved

Moved by Councillor Atkinson Seconded by Councillor Craig that the following accounts be paid Viz

D. A. Ross Wood &c as per A/c $34.08

John C. McLaren 12 pt Sections Iron and packing (75) $54.75

Wm Gallinger Blacksmithing &c as per account $14.79

Carried

The following Communication was read

Cornwall 11th May 1872

Gentlemen

Under of Resignation by Mr Collins

For reasons which at present are unnecessary for me to give, I hereby most respectfully beg Leave to tender my resignation of the Office of Mayor for this Town and which resignation

I trust you will kindly accept
I have the honor to be
Gentlemen
Your obedt Servt
Wm C Allen

To the Corporation of the
Town of Cornwall

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve
and seconded by Councillor Colin
McLean that the foregoing resignation
be not now accepted
Carried unanimously

The Finance Committee presented
their report on the Auditors Report
for the past year and on motion of
Councillor Mattice Seconded
by Councillor Atchison was
accepted

The Deputy-Reeve gave
notice that at the next Regular
meeting of this Council he
would introduce a by-law giv-
ing a rental on all persons
draining their premises into the main
sewer

The Case of Wm Blood an
indigent person on motion of the
Deputy-Reeve seconded by Councillor
Atchison was left to the discretion
of the Mayor & Reeve

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve
and seconded by Coun. Craig that this
Council now adjourn until the 1st monday
in June
Carried

John S Keith Clerk

Approved
Wm C Allen Mayor

Council Room
Monday June 5th 1872

The Reeve in the Chair

Present the Deputy-Reeve and Councillors Hodge Ross Turner & McLachlan

Moved by the Deputy-Reeve and Seconded by Councillor Ross that this Council do stand adjourned until Tuesday the 11th inst at 7 O'Clock Carried

John Skitts
Town Clerk

Approved
Wm. T. Allen. Mayor

Cornwall June 11. 1872

Regular Meeting

The Council met pursuant to adjournment the Mayor in the Chair

Present the Reeve Deputy-Reeve and Councillors Hodge McLeod Ross & Turner

The minutes of the former meetings were read and approved

Notice of Main Sewer Rate

The Deputy-Reeve gave further notice that at the next meeting of this Council he would introduced a By-Law fixing a rental on all persons draining into the main Sewer

Notice of By-Law Granting Bonuses

The Mayor gave notice that at the next regular meeting of this Council he would introduce a By Law to grant Bonuses to Manufactories said By-Law to be subsequently laid before the electors of the municipality of the Town of Cornwall for their approval

Moved by the Reeve and Seconded by Councillor Turner that the Council

do now adjourn and do stand adjourned until monday next at 7.30 Oclock

Carried

The Council then adjourned

John Stutt
Town Clerk

Wm. G. Allen.
Mayor.

Cornwall August 5th 1872
Regular Meeting night

Present The Mayor and Councillor McLeod — no Quorum —

John Stutt Clerk

Council Room Oct 16th 1872
Special meeting for General purposes
The Mayor in the Chair

Present the Reeve, Deputy-Reeve and Councillors Hodge Craig Ross McCallum Atchison & Turner

The minutes of the former meeting were read and approved

The mayor handed in the policy of Insurance which had been effected on the Town Hall for the sum of three thousand dollars in the Isolated Insurance Company of Toronto at the rate of one half per cent for one year amounting to fifteen dollars and one dollar and fifty cents for policy in all $16.50 which was approved of.

The mayor also read a communication from George Stephens Esq managing Director of the Cornwall Manufacturing Woollen Company relative to the Bonus promised but after debate it was resolved that the Mayor

be instructed to correspond with Mr Stephen and state the reasons of the inability of this Council to comply with his request viz That inasmuch as the portion of ground on which the woollen factory is located is not a part of the municipality of this Town, this Council therefore have no power to Levy an assessment to meet said Bonus until after the incorporation actually takes place

A Communication was handed in from the Clerk of the County Council giving a statement of the amount required to be Levied by this municipality for County and High School purposes Viz for County purposes $543 69 and for High Schools $58 54 in all $602 23

Cy Rate 543.69
H. Schls 58.54

Moved by the Reeve Seconded by Councillor Hodge that all accounts now handed in be referred to the finance Committee and that they be requested to report thereon at the next meeting of Council Carried

Moved by Councillor Craig Seconded by Councillor Ross that the mayor be authorized to purchase 500 pieces of deals in order to finish side-walk on the South end of Pitt Street and also to build a side walk on Street between first and second Streets also that he be authorized to make arrangements for a "Public Scales" for this Town Carried

Moved by the Reeve Seconded by the Deputy-Reeve that the Road Committee have all the broken Stone laid as soon

as possible in such manner as to them may seem best Carried

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Councillor Turner that the mayor the Deputy-Reeve, the mover and seconder be appointed a committee to draft a memorial to the Lieutenant Governor in Council praying that a Normal School be established in this Town Carried

The Deputy-Reeve gave notice that at the next meeting of Council he would introduce a by-Law for the Levying of the rate in the Dollar on all real and ratable property in this municipality said rate to be one cent in the dollar and also for fixing the time for placing the roll in the hands of the Collector

Levy 1 ct. ℔ $

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Councillor McCallum that this Council do now adjourn and do stand adjourned until Friday evening the 18th instant at 7.00 Carried the Council then adjourned

John Smith
Town Clerk

Approved

Wm. L. Hall
Mayor.

Council Room Friday 18th 1872

The Council met Pursuant to adjournment the Mayor in the Chair

Present the Reeve Deputy-Reeve and Councillors Hodge McCallum Ross and G. Mallett

The Minutes of the former meeting were read

and approved

Moved by the Reeve and seconded by the Deputy-Reeve that the By-Law for fixing a rentat on all persons draining into the main sewer be now read a second time

Carried

The By-Law was accordingly read a second time

Councillor Turner then entered & took his seat

moved by the Deputy-Reeve and seconded by Councillor Hodge that the By-Law for Levying the rate in the Dollar on all Real and Ratiable property in the Town of Cornwall and for fixing the time for placeing the Roll in the hands of the Collector be now read a first time Carried

The By-Law was accordingly a first time

moved by the Deputy-Reeve and seconded by Councillor Hodge that the By-Law for Levying the rate in the Dollar made be now read a second and third time passed and signed by the mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinances to the contrary

Carried

The By-Law was accordingly read a second and third time passed and signed by the mayor

The Reeve, the Chairman of the Committee appointed to draft a memorial to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor praying for the establishment of a

Normal School in this Town presented and read the memorial which was unanimously adopted by the Council on the motion of the Deputy-Reeve seconded by Councillor Turner Printed Copies thereof to be forwarded to His Excellency the Lieutenant Governor and the Local members of the United Counties

The Financial Committee to whom were referred the accounts of the Corporation presented their Report and on motion of the Reeve Seconded by Councillor Ross was adopted

The following is a copy of the report above referred to

"	Copp Clark & co	$ 11.83
"	D Macalister Bread for poor	.25
"	George Wasson Indigent person	1.00
"	G.T.R Freight of Hose	.85
"	Telegraphing as per acc	4.09
"	Mayors Expenses to Toronto	29.70
"	John Gilmour Expenses Brinton Report	2.00
"	Duncan McDonald Flags	46.50
"	Henry MacAllister Digging Graves	1.00
"	D. McDonald Wood for poor	2 32
"	Angus Cameron " "	3.00
"	Thomas Johnston " " Hall	3 80
"	Do Do " " Do.	3 50
"	Ben Ballway " " "	4.25
"	Martin Marrion " " Poor (D. Smith)	4.00
"	Thos. McDonald Wood for Poor	3 25
"	John Russo one Load of wood for poor	3.50
"	John Russo 1 Load of wood for poor	3.25

Report	" Robt Clark	Breaking Stone	4.40
	" James McAllen	do do	7.60
	" Hy Clair	5 1/2 Cords Stone	12.88
	" W. Wood	Stone —	12.00
	" W Carpenter	Breaking Stone	5.40
	" John A McIntosh	Insurance	16.50
	" Ally Russell	3 3/4 Cords Slays	15.00
	" James McAllen	Breaking Stone	2.40
	" W Carpenter	do do	9.30
	" Robt Clark	do do	1.30
	" Miles L Clark	do do	1.20
	" Geo Burden	printing	7.75
	" M Cresson	Breaking Stone	.60
	" John Preno	do do	2.80
	" Wm George Sayles		5.75
	" Hy Crawford	3/4 Cords Stone	7.31
Finance	" Mrs Lowkey	Work in Hall	.50
	" Mrs Lowkey	Taking Care of Schmartin	1.00
	" Mrs Anderson	Cleaning Hall	3.00
	" John Breen	Breaking Stone	10.40
	" John Breen	2 1/2 days Work on Bridge	2.50
	" Mrs Wade	one months Board for Old Mr Clark	4.00
	" Wm Walker	Work on roads	9.87
Committee	" Ben Anderson Jr	Breaking Stone	1.00
	" Duncan Grant	Board for Mr Blood	40.00
	" Ben Anderson Sr	1 days Work	1.00
	" To Sundry persons (poor)		11.25
	" John Breen	Breaking Stone	7.60
	" Chas Robinson	Work on Roads	25.12
	" Hy MacAllen	Breaking Stone	1.00
	" W. Campbell	Wood	4.50
	" James C Johnstone	Work in Town Hall	14.00
	" Geo Burden	printing	18.60
	" L. Stelle	Telegram	29

" Edward Allen 386 lb. Bar Iron Steel 482.50
" John Leverley 1½ days Work 1.25
" Chas Robinson Digging Grave
for D. McLaughlan — 1.50

Committee Room Oct 18th 1872 (Signed) A Bethune.

Moved by Mr Reid and Seconded by Councillor Ross that this Council now adjourn and do stand adjourned until Tuesday Evening next at 7.00 o'clock

Carried

The Council then adjourned

John Stutt
Clerk

approved

Wm. L. Allen. Mayor

Council Room Monday Nov. 11/72

Special Meeting for General purposes.

Present His Worship the Mayor, the Reeve, Deputy Reeve and Councillors Mr. Allen, G. Mattice, Craig, Wm. Atchison, & Nelson Turner

Minutes read

Minutes of former meeting read and approved.

Appointment of Collector

The Mayor informed the Council that it was necessary that they should appoint a Collector for the current year.

Moved by the Deputy Reeve Seconded by Councillor Craig that Josephus Bailey be appointed Collector for the current year at a Salary of Sixty Dollars ($60.00) per annum.

Carried

Moved by the Deputy Reeve Seconded by Councillor G. Mattice that the By-Law for the appointment of Collector

By Law — be now read a first time

Carried

The By Law was read a first time

For appointment of Collector — Moved by the Deputy Reeve Seconded by Councillor G. Mattice that the By-Law for the appointment of Collector be now read a 2nd & 3rd time, passed and Signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any rule or Ordinance to the contrary

Carried

The By-Law was accordingly read a 2nd & 3rd time, passed & Signed by the Mayor.

Collectors Roll to be given to Collector — Moved by the Deputy Reeve Seconded by Councillor G. Mattice that the Clerk be authorized to place the Collectors Roll into the hands of the Collector on his Entering into the usual bonds, Satisfactory to the Finance Committee

Carried

Reward for arrest and Conviction of party or parties who destroyed House on corner of Pitt & 1st Street — Moved by Councillor G. Mattice Seconded by Councillor Craig that the Mayor be and is hereby Authorized to Offer a reward of $50.00 for the apprehension and conviction of the Party or Parties Guilty of destroying on the Evening of the 31st ult. the building on the Corner of Pitt & 1st Street and being the property of Philip Bankey Hunt Esqr.

Carried

Hay Scales — Moved by Councillor G. Mattice Seconded by Councillor Turner that the Mayor be and is hereby authorized to purchase in Montreal a Fairbank Hay Scales capable of weighing

Town Town, And to have the Same
erected in a Suitable ~~Place~~
place this Fall if possible

Carried

Moved by Councillor Turner Seconded
Lamps for by Councillor Atchison that the Mayor
be and is hereby authorized to purchase
from Messrs Brown Montreal 7 Street
Pitt Street- Lamps to be placed in Suitable positions
on Pitt Street

Carried

Moved by Councillor G. Mattice Seconded
Adjournment by ~~Councillor~~ the Reeve that this Council
do now adjourn and Stand adjourned
until Friday Evening the 15th inst at 7 O
Clock.

Carried

The Council then adjourned

D. Monroe
Clerk protem

J. Mattice
Reeve

Council Room November 15th 1872
— Adjourned Meeting —

The following members of Council met
pursuant to adjournment viz

Nov His Worship the Mayor, the Reeve
Deputy Reeve & Councillors Craig, McCallum,
A. P. Ross.

The Deputy Reeve & Councillor Craig as members
Meeting of the finance committee approved of the
bonds furnished by the Collector ~~and~~

No Council business was
transacted for want of a Quorum.

D. Monroe
Clerk protem.

J. Mattice
Reeve

Council Room December 2nd 1872
– Regular Meeting –

Present The Reeve, Dep'ty. Reeve & Councillors Mc.Callum, Craig, Rose, Atchison & Turner

Minutes — Minutes of former meeting read and approved

Moved by Councillor Atchison Seconded by Councillor Craig that this Council do now adjourn and Stand adjourned until Friday Evening the 6th inst. at 7 O. Clock.

Adjournment — Carried

The Council then adjourned.

D. Monroe
Clerk protem

Wm. C. Adkin
Mayor.

Council Room Dec. 6th 1872
– Adjourned Meeting –

The Council met pursuant to adjournment. Present The Mayor, Reeve, Dep'ty. Reeve & Councillors Mc.Callum, McLean, Mattice, Atchison, Turner & Rose.

Minutes — Minutes of former meeting read and approved.

Moved by the Dep'ty. Reeve Seconded by Councillor Mattice that the Hay Scales lately purchased in Montreal be erected on 2nd Street at its South Eastern junction with Pitt Street.

Erection of Hay Scales — Carried

Moved by the Deputy Reeve Seconded by Councillor Turner that the By Law for the erection of Hay Scales on 2nd Stree

be now read a first time

Carried

By-Law read a first time.

By Law

Moved by the Deputy Reeve Seconded by Councillor McLean that the above By Law be now read a 2nd & 3rd time passed and Signed by the Mayor Notwithstanding any rule or Ordnance to the Contrary

For the Election of Water Scales

Carried

The By Law was accordingly read a 2nd & 3rd time passed and Signed by the Mayor.

Tenders for the Leasing of Lots 10 & 11 N. S. W. Street

Moved by Councillor Atchison Seconded by the Deputy Reeve that Tenders be asked for the leasing of ~~Vacant Lots~~ the unoccupied portions of Lots No 10 & 11 on the North Side of Water Street for the ensuing year, said Tenders to be received by the Finance Committee until the 14th inst. at 7 O. Clock P.M. Said Committee to have power to accept such Tender as to them Seems ~~Satisfactory~~

Carried

Polling Places & Returning Officers for 1873

Moved by the Reeve Seconded by the Deputy Reeve that the place for holding the coming Municipal and Public School Trustee Elections in the West Ward of this Town Shall be the Town Hall and that James Dingwall be the Returning Officer, and that the place for holding Said Election in the Centre Ward Shall be the Public School House and that James Leitch be the Returning Officer, and that the place for holding the afore Said Elections in the East Ward of Said Town Shall be in the House of Alexander Barnhart

on Lot No 2 S. S. of 2nd Street and that William Bethune be the returning Officer.

Carried

By Law for Appointment of Returning Officers & Polling Places

Moved by the Reeve Seconded by Councillor Atchison that the By Law for the appointment of Polling places and returning Officers for the coming Municipal & Public School Elections of this Town be now read a first time.

Carried

The By-Law was read a first time

Moved by the Reeve Seconded by Councillor Atchison that the above By-Law be now read a 2nd and 3rd time passed and Signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any rule or Ordinance to the contrary.

Carried

The By-Law was accordingly read a 2nd & 3rd time passed and Signed by the Mayor.

Clerk to Purchase 60 Copies of Mun. act of Mar. 2nd 1872

The Clerk was instructed to write to Copp Clark & Co. Toronto for 60 Copies of the Municipal Act assented to 2nd March 1872 entitled "An Act for the prevention of Corrupt-practices at Municipal Elections" and to furnish Each returning Officer with 6 Copies of Same.

Adjournment

Moved by the Reeve Seconded by Councillor Rose that this Council do now adjourn and Stand adjourned until Monday Evening the 16th inst. at 7½ O. Clock.

Carried

The Council then adjourned

Approved
Wm. L. Allen
Mayor

D. Monroe
Clerk pro tem

Council Room
December 16th 1872

The Council met pursuant to adjournment. Present The Mayor, ~~Reeve~~ *Deputy Reeve and Councillors Hodge McCallum, Prattis, Craig, Ross, Turner & Atchison.

Minutes

Minutes of former meeting read and approved.

Tenders for Lots 10 & 11

The chairman of the Finance Committee reported to the Council that 3 Tenders were received for the leasing of the unoccupied portion of Lots 10 & 11 N. S. Wm. Street (as per plan, from the following parties viz.

Oliver Gillespie	30.00
Flack & Vanarsdale	36.00
Patk. Denneny	40.00

The latter tender having been accepted it being the highest and Satisfactory in all other respects.

Mayor to write to Wm. Jas. Bethune concerning Certain Roads

The Council Authorised the Mayor to write to Wm. Jas. Bethune M.P.P. asking him to use his Exertions to have the law amended whereby Townships will be compelled to assume the Control of such roads as may previously have been in the possession of an adjoining township or town and provided same were given up in a State of better repair than when originally held by such township.

Payment of Accounts

Moved by the Deputy Reeve Seconded by Councillor Turner that the following Accounts be paid viz

Thos. Murphy	Casting as per Acct.	$ 10.75
Wm Long	" " "	3.50
Wm Mattice & Sons	Sundries " "	11.19

Carried

Adjournment

Moved by Councillor Mattice Seconded by the Deputy Reeve that this Council do now adjourn and stand adjourned until this night fortnight at 7½ O. Clock

Carried

The Council then adjourned.

S. Monroe
Clerk protem

Approved
Wm C. Allen
Mayor.

Council Room

January 28th " 1873

Present the Mayor, Reeve, Deputy Reeve & Councillors Hodge, Craig, Atchison, & Turner.

Minutes

Minutes of former meeting read and approved.

Moved by the Reeve Seconded by Councillor Atchison that the following Accounts be paid viz

Payment of Accounts

Andrew Hodge	Flour for Poor	$ 7.75
Nelson Turner	Nails &c.	7.61
Public Schools	Estimate for 1872	650.00
Wood for poor	(J. Smith)	2.75
Wm Bettens	Returning Officer 2 days	4.00
Jas. Dingwall	" " 3 "	6.00
Jas. Leitch	" " 1 "	2.00
Josephus Bailey	Services as Schoolmaster	2.00
Alex. Barnhart	Use of House for Election Purposes	4.00

Payment By Accounts

Jas. Mossey	use of Horse for Pow. Election	$ 2.00
Jas. Irving	" " "	2.00
Mrs. Anderson	Cleaning Town Hall	1.00
Jas. Malone	1 Load Wood Town Hall	4.25
Jas. Kilgour	Coffin for D. McQuigan	11.00
A. Wilson of Montreal	for 20 ps. Drain Pipe	15.30
Ev. McMahon	1½ days Work with Team on Roads	3.75
Wm. Walker	21 days Work on Roads	26.25
Elias Heath	6¼ " " " "	7.31
Chas. Robinson	29¼ " " " "	36.57
S. Barnhart	3¾ days with Horse & Cart on Roads	.94
J. Riviere	1½ " " " " "	1.87
Donald Gallinger	2½ " " Team "	5.62
Jas. Kilgour	A/c for Oil &c	24.93
John O'Brien	11 days Work on Roads	13.50
G. T. Railway	Freight & Scales &c.	2.42
Blake Kerr & Bethune	as per Bill	52.00
P. E. Adams	Sundries as per A/c	92.85
John Skeith	bals. of Salary as Clerk & Selecting Jurors 4th 75th	79.00
Jas. Kilgour	Salary as Treasurer	25.00
John Dewar	" " High Constable	250.00
J. C. Johnston	10 hrs. " Inspector of Cheese	8.33
Adam Eligh	Selecting Jurors	4.00
Wm. Col. Allen	" "	4.00

Carried

By-Law for the payment of Accounts

Moved by the Dep. Reeve Seconded by Com. Turner that the By-Law for the payment of Accounts for the past year at the close of the Session be now read a first time

Carried

By Law read a first time

Moved by the Dep. Reeve Seconded by Com. Turner that the By Law for the payment of Accounts for the past year at the close of the Session be now read a 2nd & 3rd time passed & Signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any rule or Ordinance

to the Contrary

Carried

passed & Signed

The By-Law was accordingly read a 2nd & 3rd time Passed & Signed by the Mayor

~~Moved by the Deputy Reeve Seconded by Councillor Leacy that the Members of this Council~~

The following is the By-Law

By-Law

By-Law for the payment of Accounts passed by the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Cornwall for the Year 1872 and to the close of the Session.

The Council of the Corporation of the Town of Cornwall Enacts that the following Accounts payable by the Treasurer be allowed to the several parties whose names are hereunto annexed and that the Treasurer be authorized to pay the same and charge them in his annual account viz.

For

Wm Irons Glazing done to Town Hall	$1.15
Josephus Bailey Pails lost at Fire	.40
Sundry persons for Expenses incurred in Sending John Martin to Montreal General Hospital & for Funeral Expenses &c	19.95
Hugh Campbell Roughing door Sills for Town Hall	4.00
Telegraph Account	.31
Freeman for Cedar timbers for Bridges	3.75
D.E. Lewis & Co. Coal Oil Freight & Charges	17.25
Hugh Murchison 7½ days Auditing Town Books &c	15.00
D. Monroe " " "	15.00
John S. Keith 1st Quarters Salary	25.00
D. & J. Ross Work done as per Ac-	34.08

Payment

John C. McLaren	12 ft. Suction Hose & packing	54.75
Wm Gillespie	Blacksmithing &c. as per Acct	14.79
Copp Clark & Co.	Blanks &c.	11.83
John Vanalstine	Bread for Poor	.25
George Masson	indigent-Person	1.00
Grand Trunk Railway	Freight-&c.	.35
Telegraphing	as per account	4.09
Mayors Expenses	to Toronto	24.70
John Silman	Copying Bristows Report	2.00
Duncan McDonald	Stone Flags	46.50
Henry McAteer	digging Graves	1.00
D. McDonald	Wood for Poor	2.32
Angus Cameron	" "	3.00
Thos. Johnston	" for Stalls	3.50
Thos. Johnston	" "	3.50
Ben Ballman	" "	4.25
Martin Marron	" Poor	4.00
Thos. McDonell	" "	3.25
John Rowsom	" "	3.50
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Robt Clarke	breaking Stone	4.40
Jas. McAteer	" "	7.60
Henry Klein	5½ Cords Stone	12.38
Wm Woods	Stone	12.00
Wm Carpenter	breaking "	5.40
John A. McIntosh	Insurance	16.50
Alex Russell	3¾ Cords Flags	15.00
Jas. McAteer	breaking Stone	2.40
Wm Carpenter	" "	9.30
Robt Clarke	" "	1.30
Miles Leclare	" "	1.20
George Burden	Printing	7.75
Wm Creasor	breaking Stone	.60
John Preno	" "	2.80
Wm George	Eagles	5.75

Accounts

	Henry Crawford 3¼ Cords Stone	7.31
	Wm Lonkey work at Hall	.50
	" " taking Care of John Martin	1.00
By Law	Wm Anderson cleaning Hall	3.00
	John Brien breaking Stones	10.40
	" " 2½ days work on Bridges	2.50
	Mrs Wade 1 Mos. board for Old Mr Clarke	4.00
	Wm Walker work on Roads	9.87
	Ben Anderson breaking Stone	1.00
	Duncan Grant Board for Mrs Blood	40.00
	Ben Anderson Sr 1 days work	1.00
	Sundry Poor persons	11.25
	John O. Brien breaking Stone	7.60
For the	Chas. Robinson work on roads	25.12
	Henry McAlear breaking Stone	1.00
	Wm Campbell Wood	4.50
	Jas. D. Johnston Work in Town Hall	14.00
	Geo. Burden Printing	18.60
	L. Stiles Telegrams	.29
	Edwin Allen 386 yds. broken Stone	482.50
	John Lavalley 1¼ days work	1.25
	Chas. Robinson digging Grave for Mr Intyre	1.50
	Thos. Murphy Carting ashes as per acct	10.75
	Wm Guy " " "	1.50
	Wm. Mattice & Sons Sundries as per acct.	11.14
Repayment	Andrew Hodge Flour for Poor	7.75
	N. Turner Nails &c.	14.61
	Public Schools Estimate for 1872	1550.00
	Wood for Poor (J. Smith)	2.75
	Wm Bottum Reg. Office 2 days	4.00
	Jas. Driscoll " " 3 "	6.00
	Jas. Leitch " " 1 "	2.00
	Joseph Bailey " " 1 " School Meeting	2.00
	Alex. Barnhart use of Room for Election purposes	4.00
	Jas. Mosely " " " Poor Election	2.00

Jas Irwin use of Room for Prov. Election	2.00
Wm. Anderson cleaning Town Hall	1.00
Jas. Maloney 1 Load wood for Hall	4.25
Jas. Kilgour 1/2 Office for D. McCuaig	11.00
A. Wilson Montreal for 20 lbs. drain pipe	15.30
George McMahon 1½ days work with Team	3.75
Wm Walker 21 days work on roads	26.25
Elias Heath 6¼ " " "	7.81
Chas. Robinson 29¼ " "	36.57
S. Barnhart ¾ day Horse & Cart	.94
John Rivier 1½ " " "	1.87
Donald Gallinger 2½ " Team	5.62
Jas. Kilgour Acct for oil &c	24.93
John D. Rivier 11 days work	13.50
C.J.R. Knight on Scales &c.	2.42
Blake Kerr & Bethune as per Acct	52.00
P.E. Adams Sundries as per Acct	92.85
John Skeith bals. of Salary as Clerk & Selecting Jurors	79.00
Jas. Kilgour Salary as Treasurer	25.00
John D. Ewart " " " High Constable	250.00
Adam Elgie Selecting Jurors	4.00
Wm S. Allen " "	4.00
Jas A. Johnston 10 Mos. Salary as Scales Inspector	8.33

Accounts

Moved by the Dep. Reeve Seconded by Councillor Craig that this Council cannot dissolve without placing on record its high sense of the services rendered by Andrew Hodge Esqr. during his long and faithful career as representative of the Centre Ward in this Council. And it is not too much to say that to Mr Hodge's well balanced judgment and keen business knowledge the Council as a body and the rate payers of the town generally are largely indebted, and in his retirement makes a void which cannot

Easily be filled. It is known to the Council that Mr Hodge has attended to his duties as Councillor at a considerable sacrifice of time which to him is more than ordinarily valuable, and that all his acts have been conspicuously directed towards the well-being of the rate-payers as distinguished from private or individual interests.

The unvarying courtesy he has shewn on all occasions has only been exceeded by his efficiency, and the Council hereby records its extreme regret that the prospect of his temporary absence from the town has deprived them of his valuable co-operation.

It is resolved that a copy of this resolution, signed by the Mayor & Clerk, and with the Official Seal of this Council, attached to, be forwarded to Mr Hodge.

Carried Unanimously

The Council then dissolved

D. Monroe
Clerk pro tem

Cornwall January 20th 1873

Council Room Town Hall
12 O'Clock noon

The following Members of Council having filed the necessary declarations of office and Qualification took their seats namely:—

New Council
William Cox Allen Mayor
Corydon Josephus Mattice Reeve
Angus Bethune Deputy Reeve
Nelson Furness Councillor Centre ward
William Atchison Do Do
James C. Johnstone Do West ward
John Luetsinger Do East Do

Moved by the Deputy Reeve seconded by the Reeve that James Dingwall be appointed Clerk, at the same salary as the late Clerk, namely one hundred dollars per annum, for the current year

Apptmt of Clerk

Moved in amendment by Coun. Luetsinger seconded by Coun. Johnstone that Duncan Munroe be appointed Clerk for the ensuing year on the same terms as the late Clerk

Lost

original motion carried.

Mr Dingwall hereupon took the necessary Declaration of office and took his seat

Moved by the Reeve seconded by the Dy. Reeve that Duncan Munroe be appointed an auditor for the current year Carried

Auditors

The Mayor hereupon appointed Mr. Charles Mellersh to be the other Auditor

Moved by Com. Atchison seconded by the Dy. Reeve that James Kilgour be Treasurer for the current year at a salary of fifty (50) dollars per annum and that the Clerk be instructed to take the necessary Bonds Carried

Treasurer

By law for appointment of

Moved by the Dy Reeve seconded by Com. Johnstone that the By law for the appointment of Clerk Auditors and Treasurer for the current year be now read a first time Carried

Clerk

The By law was accordingly read a first time

Auditors

Treasurer

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Com. Turner that the By law for the appointment of the above named Municipal Officers be now read a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any Rule or Ordinance to the contrary Carried

The By law was accordingly read

a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor

Down Hall not to be used without receipt from Treasurer

Moved by the Dy Reeve seconded by Com. Luetsinger that all and every person or persons requiring the use of the Town Hall shall not have the use of the same until he or they have first produced to the Caretaker or person in charge thereof a receipt from the Treasurer for the amounts agreed to be paid for the use of said Town Hall

Carried

No payment of a/cs without signed vouchers produced

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Com. Luetsinger that this Council will hereafter not be responsible for any a/cs unless vouchers be produced for same authenticated by the Mayor Reeve Dy. Reeve or Chairman of one of the Committees for the time being.

Carried

Time for regular meetings of Council

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Com. Johnston that the regular meetings of this Council shall be held on the first Monday in each and every month at 8 P.M. during the months of May June July August and September and at 7 P.M. during the remainder of the year and that no notices be issued for regular meetings

Carried

Adjournment

Moved by Com. Atchison seconded by Com. Johnstone that this Council do now adjourn and stand adjourned until the first Monday in February at 7 P. M.

Carried

The Council then adjourned

Approved

Wm. J. Allen Mayor

James Dingwall
Clerk

January 27th 1873 4 P. M.

Special Meeting

Special meeting Jany 27/73

A Special meeting was this day called for the purpose of passing a By law for the Petitioning the Ontario Legislature to empower the Council to remit from time to time for any period not exceeding twenty one years all Municipal taxes on factories erected or to be erected in the Town of Cornwall and employing at least fifty operatives or employees

Remission of taxes to factories

Present The Mayor The Reeve and Councillors Craig Johnstone Rose Loetscher and Turner

By Law No 151 1st Reading

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Com. Johnstone that By law No 151 be read a first time. Carried said By law being for the petitioning of the Ontario Legislature as above was accordingly read a first time

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Com. Turner that said by law

2nd & 3rd Reading

for the petitioning of the Ontario Legislature as aforesaid be now read a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any Rule or Ordinance to the Contrary

Carried

The By-law was accordingly read a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor

Adjournment

Moved by Coun. Craig seconded by Coun. Ross that the council adjourn

Carried

The Council then adjourned

Approved

James Dingwall
Clerk

Wm. C. Allen.
Mayor

Meeting Feby 3/73

Council Room
Monday February 3rd 1873

The Council met pursuant to adjournment Present the Mayor Reeve and Deputy Reeve and Coun. Craig Johnstone Ross Snetsinger, Gregor Mattice, and Atchison

Declaration taken

Councillor Gregor Mattice having taken the declarations of office and qualification took his seat

The Minutes of the two previous meetings were Read and approved

Moved by the Deputy Reeve seconded by Comm. Atchison and resolved that inasmuch as the County Council of the United Counties of Stormont Dundas and Glengary has appointed a deputation to confer with the Government of the Province of Ontario with a view to press the claims of this Eastern Section to share in the Public Institutions about to be erected by the Government that this Council appoint the Mayor and the Reeve a deputation for the same purpose and that this Council will pay all necessary expenses incurred by the Mayor and Reeve in going to being at and returning from Toronto for carrying the above mentioned objects

Deputation to ask Executive for a share of Public Institutions.

Moved in amendment by Com. Snetsinger seconded by Comm. Craig that the Mayor alone be a deputation for said purpose his expenses being paid as above

Amendment

The amendment was then put and lost on a division

The original motion was then put and Carried.

Moved by the deputy Reeve seconded by Comm. Rose that By law No 152 granting Bonuses to the ~~woolen and two~~ Cornwall Woolen Manufacturing Company, the Cornwall Cotton & Manufacturing Company and the Stormont Cotton Manufacturing Company be now read a first time

By Law No 152

1st Rdg

Carried

The By law was accordingly read a first time.

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Coun. Snetsinger that said By Law be read a second time notwithstanding any ordinance or rule to the contrary — Carried

The By law was accordingly read a second time

By Law for sewer on Pitt Street

Moved by Coun. Mattice seconded by Coun. Rose that By Law 149 for regulating the terms upon which parties may use the sewer on Pitt Street be read a third time ~~signed~~ passed and signed by the Mayor

Carried

The By Law was accordingly read a third time passed and signed by the Mayor

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Councillor Rose that the following accounts be paid namely

Jas. Maloney	load of wood Town Hall	$4.50
Louis LeClair	assisting burying small-pox patient	4.00
Miles LeClair	Do Do	2.00
Jas. Bethune	Amount required to get Act passed allowing Council to remit factories' taxes for 20 years	60.00

Carried

Moved by Coun. Snetsinger seconded by the Dy. Reeve that Josephus Bailey be licensed Inspector for current year at a salary of $20.00

by Comn. Ross seconded by Comn. Atchison that Wm Gallinger be licence Inspector for the Current year at a salary of $20.00

The amendment was put and lost on a division

The original motion was then put and carried on a division

Comn. Snetsinger gave notice that at next meeting of Council he will move that the licence By-law be amended by making the licence fee for taverns $100.00 and for shops $100.00

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Comn. Ross that the Council adjourn to the 14th inst at 7½ P. M.

Carried

The Council then adjourned

Approved

James Ingwall
Clerk

Wm. C. A. Allen
Mayor.

Council Room
February 14th 1873 at 7½ P.M.

The Council met pursuant to adjournments.

Present The Mayor, Reeve, Deputy Reeve Councillors Mattice Johnstone Snetsinger and Turner.

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Comn. Johnstone that the rule of

this Council requiring notice to be given at a previous meeting of any motion to amend a By-law be now suspended Carried

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Coun. Mattice that By-law No 9 for regulating the Numbes of Tavern and Shop licenses be amended as follows:- That the words "evening year" in the third line of the first paragraph be expunged and the following words namely, "in each and every year thereafter" be inserted in lieu thereof — that the word "twelve" in the fourth line of said paragraph be expunged and the word "sixteen" be inserted in lieu of same — That the following words be added to the end of the second paragraph of said By-law namely, "in each and every year hereafter" — And that the word "next" at the end of the third paragraph of said By-law be struck out and the following words inserted instead namely "in each and every year hereafter" — And that said By-law No 9 as thus amended be read a first time under the name of By-law No. 153 Carried

Said By-law No. 153 was then read a first time

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Coun. Turner that by-law No 153 be now read a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor Carried

withstanding any rule or ordinance to the contrary Carried
Said By law was accordingly read a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor
The Mayor read a petition from Rev. Mr. Farlane for a shop license from Hugh Payment for a tavern license and from Thomas Robinson for a tavern license for the ensuing year
Moved by Com. Mattice seconded by Com. Snetsinger that the following a/cs be paid namely:—

Copp Clark & Co (blanks)	$8.13
Expenses to Toronto of Mayor and Reeve as deputation to Government	$53.15
John McPhee a/c	$19.11
Wm Irons frosting D.H. windows &c a/c	$ 7.65
H. McAteer breaking stones	$ 3.00
Jas. Scott, load wood Town Hall	$ 3.50
Jno. Mitchell hay scales	$ 6.00
Mrs Scarbo cleaning Town H.	$ 1.80
Jno. Norman load wood Town H.	$ 3.50
Jno. Marjerrison do do	$ 4.00
Sol. Bell — paid him to go to Hospital Mont.	$ 2.00
Chas. Robinson digging grave for Wm. Blood 5/- one days work 6/3	$ 2.25
Jno. Smith (poor) load wood	$ 4.75
Mrs Hubbard (poor) do	$ 4.75

carried
Moved by Reeve seconded by Com. Johnstone that this Council do now adjourn to the 27th inst. at 7½ P. M. Carried

James Dingwall Town Clerk
27th February 1873

Approved
Wm. C. Allen. Mayor

Council Room
February 2nd 1873 at 7½ P.M.

A special meeting was called by the Mayor for the purpose of extending the time for the collector to make his returns and also to consider a communication from J.G. Snetsinger Esq M.P.P. as to application to the Ontario Legislature for power to remit taxation to factories.

Present The Mayor, Reeve and Comm. McLean Mattice Johnstone Atchison and Craig.

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Comm. Atchison that the time allowed the Collector for closing his roll be extended until the fifteenth day of next March Carried

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Comm. Johnstone and resolved that in consequence of information contained in a letter received by the Mayor from J.G. Snetsinger Esq. M.P.P. now read and filed and upon consideration of the matter this Council is of opinion that any act passed by the Parliament of Ontario to enable this Council to remit taxes for a period not exceeding twenty one years on factories, within the Town, employing fifty operatives or upwards provisions should be made

the By-law granting exemption submitted to the ratepayers of the Town in the usual way before its final passage by the Council and are of opinion that said legislature should be asked in any act passed as aforesaid to insert therein provision for submitting any By-law passed under said act to the qualified electors of the Town for their approval before the final passing of such By-law And that a copy of this resolution signed by the Mayor and certified by the Clerk under the seal of this Corporation be forwarded to Mr. Snetsinger to be used by him as he may deem advisable Carried

The Council then separated. —

James Dingwall
Town Clerk

Wm. C. Alley
Mayor.

Council Room
February 27th 1873 7½ P.M.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment Present the Mayor Reeve and Comm. Craig Johnstone Ross Snetsinger & Mattice.

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Comm. Ross that applications for Tavern Licenses by John Devaney A. Payment London Empey John Brodnek Michael McEneiry Robert Conroy Thomas Robinson Ranald McDonell W. H. Dunkin and J. B. McKenzie and for Shop License from [illegible]

R.W. McFarlane and J.D. McDonell be received and read. Carried
The Petitions of said parties were accordingly received and read.
The Report of the License Inspector was also received and read.

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Com. Rose that the parties certified for by the license Inspector — namely all of the parties petitioners aforenamed except Thomas Robinson and George Robidoux — receive Tavern and shop license certificates respectively according to their several petitions for one year until the 1st of March 1874 Carried

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Com. Craig that the Dy. Reeve & Com. Turner & Mattice be a finance Committee for the ensuing year Carried
The Auditors here presented their report
Moved by Com. Johnstone seconded by Com. Rose that said report be ~~referred~~ received and referred to the finance Committee Carried
The Reeve here gave notice that at next meeting of Council he will introduce a By Law for licensing and regulating drays Cabs & omnibuses and livery stables

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Com.

Johnstone that the following accounts be allowed and paid namely

T. & R. White – 3000 Assessment Blanks $12.00
Thos. Johnston – wood for Alex. Riviere – frost – $5.00
Alex. McDonald – Load wood for Mrs Anderson & Blyth $4.00
Alex. McDonald – ½ load wood for John Lavaillé 1.90

Carried

Moved by Comn. Mattice seconded by Comn. Rose that the Council adjourn to Monday March 10th at 7½ P. M.

Carried

The Council then adjourned.

James Sinnwall
Town Clerk

Approved
Wm. C. Allen
Mayor

A Special meeting was called by the Mayor for the first day of March A.D. 1873 at 7½ P. M.

Present the Mayor Reeve Dy. Reeve Comn. Johnstone Rose Snetsinger & Innes

Moved by the Dy. Reeve seconded by Comn. Johnstone that Tavern License Certificates be granted to Geo. Robideau and Thomas Robinson the Tavern Licence Inspector having reported that they have the proper accommodation Carried

Said report of the T.L. Inspector having been previously read was filed

The Council then dispersed

James Sinnwall Town Clerk Wm. C. Allen Mayor

Council Room
March 10th 1873 at 7½ P.M.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment. Present the Mayor Reeve & Dy. Reeve & Coun. McLean Johnstone Roy Snetsinger Mattice & Turner.

The minutes of two previous meetings were read and approved of.

The report of the Clerk as to the voting on the Bonuses was received & read.

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Coun. McLean that said Report of the Clerk be entered in the minutes — Carried

The following is a correct copy of said Report

"I James Dingwall of the "Town of Cornwall in the County of Stormont Town Clerk of the said Town of Cornwall "hereby certify unto the Municipal Council of the "said Town of Cornwall that I have added up "the number of votes, given for and against "By Law one hundred and fifty two for granting Bonuses to the Cornwall Woolen Factory "the Canada Cotton Factory and the Stormont "Cotton Factory, on the first day of March "instant, and find that in the west ward "of the said Town of Cornwall the number of votes polled for said By Law was "thirty one and against it seventeen, in the centre ward thirty seven votes were polled for said By Law and nine against it and in the east ward thirteen votes were polled for said By Law and three against it so that the whole number of votes polled for said By Law on said

"day was eighty one and against it twenty
"nine which gives a majority of fifty
"two votes approving said By Law.
"I therefore certify to the Council that a
"the majority have approved of said
"By Law. Given under my hand this
"third day of March A.D. 1873.

"James Dingwall"
"Town Clerk"

Moved by Comm. Mattice seconded by Comm. Ross that $30 of the $40 Transient Traders license paid by Isaac Vipond be refunded him & same amounts to Mr. Fogg, at once & if Mr. Vipond remains a resident of the Town for a year then he is to get back the remaining $10 Mr. Fogg to get back all of the remaining $10 except what will equal his next years taxes. Carried

Mr. Craig here took his seat.

Moved by Comm. Mattice seconded by Comm. Craig that the a/cs of J. Dingwall J. Leitch & Wm. Scthune Returning officers $2 each be received and paid Carried

Moved by Comm. Turner seconded by Comm. McLean that the following a/cs be received & paid

M. McEneiry - meals to tramps	$3.00
D. Munro Auditing 9 days	18.00
Jas. Mellish do " do	18.00
P.C. Adams a/c filed	6.62
C.H. James overcharge in taxation	30.00

Carried

Moved by Coun. Craig seconded by Coun. Johnstone that By Law No 152 be read a third time passed & signed by the Mayor

Carried unanimously

Said By Law was accordingly read a third time passed & signed by the Mayor

The Reeve gave notice that at next meeting he will introduce a By Law for licensing and regulating livery stables and drays & trucks.

Moved by Coun. Mattice seconded by Coun. Johnstone that the Council adjourn to 13th March at 7½ P. M.

Carried

The Council then adjourned

Approved

James Dingwall
Town Clerk

Wm. Allan
Mayor.

Council Room
March 13th 1873 7½ P.M.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment — Present The Mayor Reeve & Dy Reeve & Coun. Johnstone Craig Turner & Atchison.

The Reeve gives notice that at next meeting he will move to amend By Law No. 152 so as to prevent the Debentures being transferable

Moved by Coun. Johnstone seconded by Coun. Atchison that the following a/cs be received and paid namely:—

Wm Lawrence ½ days work 0.50

Wm Walker 2 days work	$2.00
John Cummings load wood, Town Hall	5.00
Alex. Barnhart use of house for voting on Bonuses in East ward	2.00
Wm N. Wood six cords stove for macadamizing	13.50
A. McDonald – load wood for Mrs Alex. Rivière	4.75
Saml. Ferguson load wood for indigent persons	4.50
Do. Allen paid tramps	2.00
Jas. Dingwall expres Charges &c	1.09

Carried

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Coun. Turner that By Law No 154 for licensing & regulating livery stables and drays or trucks be read a first time

Carried

Said By Law was then read a first time

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Coun. Craig that By Law No. 154 be read a second and third time passed & signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the contrary

Carried

Said By Law was then read a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor

Moved by Coun. Johnstone seconded by Coun. Atchison that the time for the Collector to close his roll be extended to the 30th April next.

Carried

Notice was given by the Reeve that he will at next meeting move to a-

mend the Butchers By Law

Moved by Coun. Turner seconded by Coun. Craig that the Council adjourn to the first Monday in April next at 7½ P.M.

Carried

James Dingwall
Town Clerk

Wm. C. Allen. Mayor.

Council Room
March 24th 7½ P.M.

A Special meeting was called by the Mayor for appointment of an assessor or assessors

Present the Mayor Reeve Dy Reeve & Coun. Craig, Rose, Luetsinger, Atchison & Johnstone

Moved by Coun. Luetsinger seconded by Coun. Craig that two assessors be appointed for the current year at a Salary of $50 each

Carried

Moved by the Reeve seconded by the Dy Reeve that Adam Elgie and Joseph Atchison be the two assessors for the current year

Carried

Moved by the Dy Reeve seconded by Coun. Rose that By Law No 155 for appointment of said assessors be read a first time

Carried

Said By law was accordingly read a first time

Moved by Coun Atchison seconded by

Comm. Johnstone that said By Law be read a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the contrary

Carried

Said By Law No 155 was accordingly read a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor

The Council then dispersed.

James Imrall
Town Clerk

Approved
Wm. C. Allen. Mayor

Council Room
March 31st 1873 7½ P.M.

A Special Meeting was called by order of the Mayor for the appointment of an Assessor in the place of Joseph Atchison who is unable to act

Present The Mayor and Reeve & Comm. Craig Johnstone Snetsinger Mattice Atchison & Turner

Moved by Comm. Snetsinger seconded by Comm. Atchison that Josephus Bailey be appointed assessor in place of Joseph Atchison on same terms

Carried

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Comm. Craig that By Law No 156 appointing Josephus Bailey assessor be read a first time

Carried

Said By Law was accordingly read a first time

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Com. Johnstone that By Law No 156 be read a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the contrary

Carried

Said By Law was accordingly read a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor

The Council then dispersed.

Approved

James Driscoll
Town Clerk

Wm. C. Allen.
Mayor

Council Room April 7th A.D. 1873 at 7½ P.M.

The Council held their regular monthly meeting this evening.

Present The Mayor & Dy. Reeve & Com. Craig Johnstone Kop Smetsinger Mattice ~~and~~ Atchison & Turner

The minutes of the last meeting were read

Moved by the Dy. Reeve seconded by Com. Atchison that the arrears of taxes for the years 1869 70 & 71 as presented to the Council by the Mayor be referred to the finance committee and that said committee report on same at the next meeting of this Council

Carried

Moved by the Deputy Reeve seconded by Com. Johnstone that the Mayor be instructed to collect the arrears of rent due on the N. W. part of Lot 16 N. of 4th street leased by Vincent Smith

Carried

Moved by Coun. Johnstone seconded by Coun. Craig that the following a/cs be received and paid namely:—
Rolland Snetsinger a/c for work done on lockups in Town Hall $12.36
A. Hodge Esq a/c for lumber supplied (planed) for lockups and plank for John Smith (poor) 13.80
H.W. Weber a/c for three pictures — Queen & Prince & Princess of Wales — furnished for Town Hall 4.00
Carried
Moved by Coun. Craig seconded by Coun. Ross that this Council adjourn to the 21st inst. at 7½ P.M.
Carried
The Council then adjourned.

James Dingwall
Town Clerk

Approved
Wm. Allen
Mayor.

Council Room April 21st 1873 7½ P.M.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment
Present The Mayor Reeve Dy. Reeve & Coun. McLean Craig Johnstone Ross Snetsinger Mattice & Atchison and Turner
The minutes of previous meeting were read and approved

Moved by Coun. Mattice seconded by Coun. the Dy. Reeve that the report of the finance Committee be read
Carried
The report was accordingly read

Moved by the Dy. Reeve seconded by Com. Mattice that the report of the finance committee as read be adopted and entered in the minutes of this Council

Carried

The following is a true copy of said Report of the finance committee:—

To the Mayor and Corporation of the Town of Nanaimo

Gentlemen

Your Finance Committee to whom was referred the communication of the amounts due by the Nanaimo Collectors since the year 1861 beg leave to report as follows

1 That they have with the greatest care examined the various Rolls of said Collectors and after comparing their annual accounts with the Assessors Books since the above mentioned year 1861. they find that the Collector James Clute after deducting all the uncollectable accounts and amounts forgiven by the Council of that year 1862 owes a Balance for said year of $434 45/100 That the Collector for the year 1863 (Vincent Arnbal) owes also a Balance for said year of $634.73 That the Collector for the years 1864. & 1865. (Charles Stafford) has a Balance still unpaid to your Council of the sum of $636. 66½/100 and that the Collector (the late William Clute) for the years 1866. 1867. & 1868. owes a Balance amounting to $101.75 and that the Collector James Hyde for the years 1869. 1870. & 1871 has a Balance still unpaid amounting to $1346 98½ making a grand total due by the Nanaimo Collectors above named of the large sum of $3184 58

2 Your Committee would therefore recommend that the foregoing amounts should be collected with as little delay as possible and would suggest the propriety of the collection of same being placed in proper hands for collection

and whatever amount cannot legally be collected should be removed from the assets of the Municipality and that that hereafter a print close Roll be made of each years Roll and that no Collectors Roll be responsible until his Roll has been finally closed to the satisfaction of your Council

3 your Committee also beg leave to report that Vincent Annibal also owes the Rent due for a portion of the Town Hall occupied by him in former years as a Saloon. also for a licence for same. and also for Rent of a portion of Lot No. 16. SS. 4 S.t of the Town of Honorable which your Committee would also recommend should be collected as soon as possible.

All of which is most respectfully submitted.

J. Matthew Chairman
Finance Committee

Council Room
Town of Durham. C.W.
Council 26th. 31. 1873.

Abstract Statement.

Amounts due on Collectors Rolls for the years 1862 63. 64. 65. 67 68. 69. 70. & 71.

To amount due by	J. Elliott Collector for		1862.	434. 45
"	"	V. Annibal	"	1863	634. 73
"	"	C. Shafton	"	1864	263. 00
"	"	C. Shafton	"	1865	373. 66
"	"	Wm. Cline	"	1866	4. 24
"	"	Wm. Cline	"	1867	5. 81
"	"	Wm. Cline	"	1868	91. 70
"	"	A Elliott	"	1869	418. 35
"	"	A Elliott	"	1870	294. 93
"	"	A Elliott	"	1871	633. 70
Total amount due for 10 years.					3154. 58.

1862.

Inns Chs Collector

In a/c. with Corporation Borough Cornwall

To amount Collectors Rate. 3772. 07

1862. 1863	By amount paid Cr. Inns as Pr. Cash Book	2467. 16	
1864. July 19	— — —	673. 66	
1864 Sep. 19	— —	22. 00	
1864 May 15		31. 21	
	Amount recommended to be forgiven by Finance Committee.	£144. 19.	3338. 22
Council Room	To Balance due		434. 45

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Amounts recommended by Finance Committee to be written off

Inns Chs Collectors Rate for 1862.

No. Roll.	Name.	Amount	Remarks
1	Reed Carpenter	6. 15.	Dead
6	Inns Barrhart	4. 65	
5	Jno Smart Jr.	2. 00	Left
10	JS Phillips	3. 00	Away
14	Robt Simpson	3. 00	Left
17	Jno Carr.	2. 00	
18	Dan. Mc. ~~Carty~~ Carley	2. 00	
19	Wm. Hoy	2. 00	
25	Louis Carpenter	3. 00	
28	W Gordon	3. 00	
29	W McMillan	2. 00	
30	Angus McDonald	11. 50	Forgiven
80	Jno Inns	3. 50	"
83	Jno. Mc. Carty	2. 00	Left
108	Esther Sylvester	3. 00	Forgiven
114	Wm. Callaghan	2. 25	
139	Pat O Brien	3. 00	
146	Wm Clark	6. 75	
156	Sarah Kay	3. 00	Forgiven
166	Jno: Bird	0. 75	Dead
172	John. Roe	3. 75	Forgiven

183	Ed. Oliver	2.00	Bill
197	Ant. Brunette	3.00	Jorgen
199	Jas McGinn.	2.00	Poll
200	John Bourcier	2.50	
220	Louis Bunhurst	.50	dead
222	Daniel Mc. Cracken	2.00	Poll
228	Wm Mc. Cauley	5.75	Jorgen
239	Bridget Baker	3.00	"
242	Wm. Lauley	2.00	Poll
257	Wm. Fry	2.00	
257	Wm. Smyth.	3.00	Jorgen
263	Alex. Lambie	2.50	dead
265	Sol. Ammon	3.75	Jorg.
274	Estate Thomas Kennedy	.62	dead
307	Wm. Dynes	2.75	Jorgen
310	Hamilton McAtee	2.00	
319	Geo. Smith.	4.50	Jorgen
324	Fred Yard.	.65	
330	John Carpenter	2.50	
331	Mich Jollinger	2.87	Jorgen
334	Wm. Kirby	2.50	"
338	Mich Ammon	2.00	Poll
353	Wm. Carpenter.	2.25	Jorgen
357	" Atchison.	3.25	
367	John Mattice.	2.00	Poll
370	Wm. Heath	2.00	Jorgen
372	John A McIntosh.	2.00	Bill
373	Neil Munro.	2.00	
374	Wm J Bain	2.00	
375	Francis Peirce	2.00	
378	Peter Lambie	1.00	
379	Geo Robertson.	2.00	Jorgen
		$ 144.19	

1863.

Vincent Annibal Collector

In acc! Corporation Cornwall

To amount Collectors Roll. £841. 66

1863/1864 By amount Pd Dunn as p. Committees Report £237. 93

To Bal due on Roll. 603. 73

To amount due for P.E. Dunn Licence 31. 00

£634. 73

W. Annibal owes for Rent and licence of Saloon in Town Hall and also owes for Lease of portion of Market Lot 16. 55-4. 5: for usual yearly

Council Room Cornwall April 21. 1873.

1862

Chas Stafford Collector

In acc: with the Corporation Cornwall.

1864 To amount Collectors Roll. £496. 71

Cr.

1865 By amount Pd. Dunn. as p. Cash Book. 436. 54½

1866 " " " 245. 41½

1867 " " " 16. 75 698. 71

To Balce due. £263. 00

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1865

Chas Stafford Coll.

In a/c. with Corporation Town Cornwall

To amount Collectors Roll £467. 51

Cr.

1865

" By amt. Pd. Dunn, as p. Cash Bk. 192. 70

1866 " " 901. 14½ 093. 84

To Bal. due 373. 66½

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1866

William Annis Collector

In account with Corporation of Cornwall

To amount of Collectors Roll. 4418.70

Cr.

1866

By Amt. pd. Treasurer as p. Cash Book	4223.86	
Error in addition in Roll p. 25	.05	
" " 27	1.00	
Amount recommended & Treasurer Corporation to be remitted.	189.55	4414.46
To Bad debts.		4.24

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1866

Amounts recommended to be remitted & Treasurer Corporation
from William Annis Collectors Roll 1866.

80	John Smith	6.40	against Land
81	Alexr. B. McDonell	5.40.	Ch. 2 Cs No 818
94	Estate of late Patrick McLean	14.70	against Land
122	W. Grant	1.00	no dog
150	Alex. McLean.	9.00	Ch. three
151	Andr. Hall	30.00	recommended
171	Bridget Mullin	2.70	against Land
181	John Rush	1.00	no dog,
220	Saml. Hunt-	3.60	Ch. three
223	Mary ann Dicion	5.40	"
243	Owen McC. Coast	1.00	no dog
244	John Donachon.	1.00	" "
249	John Dignin	5.40	recommended
260	Robert Watson	1.00	no dog
268	Dan. Rush	3.60	Ch. three
272	Mrs Anthony	2.25	no income
276	John Carpenter	1.90	no pasture
281	J. F. Hughes	.90	Income
282	Jas Macdonell Alex.	1.80	non residents
290	Mic Ammerson.	.90	" "
316	Peter Blair	3.60	Ch. 2 Cs.

320	Wm Jarvis	39.60	his income
346	S.G. Cheeley	1.80	twice
386	Angus Grant	1.80	Non Resdt
394	James Barber.	3.60	Assess
400	Thomas Grange.	2.70	Non resident
402	Estate Caleb Knight	90	Assess
407	Rob Carpenter	3.00	Non resident
409	John Grenshields	0.90	" "
412	John McGlaughlin	2.00	under age
413	Edwd. Burns	2.00	Poll
416	Angus McDonald	2.00	Poll
417	Duncan McKyes	2.00	"
420	Donald McPhail	2.00	under age
427	Phil: Carpenter.	2.00	Poll
428	Rob McLennan.	2.00	Volunteer
429	Rz Clough	2.00	Poll
431	D McC. Cattanach. P.	2.00	twice
432	R Perkins.	2.00	Poll
100	Jr. Rivio	2.70	twice
218	Montreal Telegraph Co	6.00	Assess
167	Widow Wade.	3.00	his income
10	W.M. Park	1.00	no dog.
		£ 189.58	

Williamsburg

Account with Corporation Town Cornwall

To amount Collectors Roll. 4464.40

1867

By amt. P.O. Inspr. Cr. as P Cash Book	4359.58	
By Collector for Postage	1.24	
Stationery	1.30	
Uncollected to be omitted.	96.50	4458.52
		5.81

E. Balmer Auditor

Council Room.

Apl. 21. 1873

1867

Amounts recommended by Summer Commissioners to be remitted
to Wm. Cline Collector Roll for 1867

Roll	Names	Collection Ward.	Amt.	
15	Rhr Brady.		4.00	Recom.
22.	Jno. Buck.		2.00	Poll
29	Rhr. O. Brien		2.00	"
30	Robt J. S Burnett		1.00	no dog
49	Dan Cadot.		4.00	Recom.
51	Wm. Cline		1.00	no dog
64	J Shorie		1.00	" "
69	Dan Carpenter.		3.00	
71	Don. Campbell		4.00	no recom
74	Jno Day		2.00	Poll
88	Wm Denny.		2.00	"
136	Amon Harrington		1.00	no dog
138	Jno do.		2.00	Poll
140	Geo. Hunt		1.00	no dog
142	Jno. Hunt.		2.00	no dogs
143	Robt Hunter		2.00	"
213	Alex. Morris		4.50	three
221	Rth McDermott		2.00	Vouch
237	Don. McDermid.		2.00	"
247	John Mc. Emmon.		2.00	Poll
261	Alex R McDonell		2.00	"
262	John McKay.		5.50	Away
296	Alex. Mc. Connell.		8.00	three
304	John Mc. Adam.		2.00	Poll
305	Wm do.		2.00	"
310	Dia McDonell.		3.00	Recom:
311	Geo Oneil		3.00	no recom
317	Ed. Pole.		3.50	" "
324	Geo & Philips		2.00	Away from
341	Jno. Smith		2.00	Poll
379	Henry Whitney		2.00	Poll
380	John Farran.		2.00	no Dogs
			81.50	

West ward

12	John Brown	1.00	No Dog
65	Stephn Bowes	1.00	"
69	Thomas Kelly	2.00	Poll
85	John Munn	2.00	
98	John McIntyre	2.00	
105	Alex. McDonald	2.00	
119	Duncan A McDonald	3.00	Non Resd.
120	Wm. Cassady	2.00	Poll
		96.50	

1868.

William Clinè Collector

In account with the Corporation of Town of Cornwall

To amount of Collectors Roll.		4480.35
Error in addition on page 22.		4.00
" 36		1.00
" 39		2.00
		4487.35

Cr.

1868	By am't p^d Drumm as p^r. Cash Book.	4235.95	
	Amount recommended by your Finance Committee to be remitted.	159.70	4395.65
	To Balance due		91.70

Council Room.

Cornwall April 21. 1873.

1868

Amounts recommended to be remitted by Finance Committee

Wm. Clinè Collector. Roll for 1868.

Non Roll		Amount	
	East ward		
19	Dan^l. Campbell	2.00	Poll
21	Jn^o Cook	2.00	"
39	Albert Carpenter	2.00	"
47	Mrs. Degan.	1.00	No Dog
51	Levi Hagany	2.00	Poll
53	John Drummond p^r.	2.00	"

57	James Deacy	1.00	no dog
72	Geo Knight	2.00	Boarding
86	Estate of late Archi McKenn.	7.00	Aff. Land
90	Alex. McDonell [illegible]	2.00	no dog on [illegible]
107	Don J. Macdonald.	1.50	Aff. of Land
111	Wm. Nelson.	2.00	Bill
126	Wm Smart	2.00	Indus. Age
129	Jos Chinon.	2.00	Carriage
137	John Speck	2.00	Poll
112	Andrew McCracken.	4.00	
	Centre Ward	36.50	
25	Richard Bird.	2.00	Bill
26	Ed. Burnett	2.00	"
32	Joseph Bowen.	2.00	"
33	Wm Bristow	2.00	Carriage
38	Revd. J J Burnet	2.00	Merchant
44	Wm Campbell	2.00	Poll
47	Robert Campbell	6.00	Foreign
60	Wm Carpenter.	2.00	Bill
78	Jas Day	2.00	"
92	Dan Daley	2.00	"
95	Wm Doyle	3.00	Head
111	Pat Duffy	1.00	no dog
120	Wm Fisher	2.00	Bill
150	Geo. Hart.	1.00	no dog
172	Wm. Isley	1.00	"
186	Mrs. Geo Ilby.	1.00	"
211	Watson Little	6.00	Aff. Land
214	Wm. Loveday	2.00	Bill
217	Wm. Lutkin	1.00	Merchant
219	Alex. Lutkin	2.00	Poll
225	Robt Lutkin	2.00	"
234	Mrs. Malone	2.00	"
236	Estate of late Archi McKenn.	4.00	Aff. Land
409	" " "	2.50	—

238.	Wm Mc. Arthur.	6.00	Do. Do.
239	Wm Mathieu	0.20	Omitted
252	Wm Madden	2.00	Poll
275	Alex. McLean	4.00	as union
303	Wm Angus McDonell	1.00	as old
316	Farquhar McKinnon	2.00	Poll
326	D. A McDonell	3.00	Ag. Land
334	Geo McLeod.	2.00	Poll
357	Wm M Park	1.00	Dog charged 2ce
362	Robert Pollock	2.00	Column
364	Wm "	2.00	Do.
369	Charles Palmer.	2.00	Mchy
387	Allan Snell	3.00	as union
390	Wm Smith	2.00	Poll
		123.20	
	East ward		
11	James Bell	2.00	Poll
14	Wm. Bowbourne	2.00	"
22	Walter Briggs	7.50	Ang
25	Geo. Corlett	2.00	Poll
42	Jn. Doyle.	2.00	"
43	Ot Dreen.	2.00	"
46	Dr Leckinson	1.00	Dog. 2ce
48	Wm Devlin	1.00	as dog
49	James Do.	2.00	Poll
57	Wm Gillis Jr.	2.00	"
59	Wm Gillis	2.00	"
74	Thos. Kelly.	2.00	"
78	Thos. Lightbody	2.00	"
154	Wm Smith.	7.00	Engine
		159.70.	

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1869

Adam Hugh Collector

In account with Corporation Dundas

To amount Collectors Roll 4644.43

Error in addition Page 11. 2.00

" 35 2.00

" 40 1.00

Cr. 4649.43

1869	By amt. p. Treasr. as per Cash Book		3912.58	
	Error in addition Page	2.	2.00	
	"	15	6.00	
	"	24	100.00	
	"	29	2.00	
	Charged 2 cc in Page 12. 28. No 821	5%	13.50.	
	in sum total of Roll		100.00	
	Amount recommended by Finance Committee to be remitted.		95.00	4231.08
	To Balance due.			418.55

Council Room.

Council April 21. 1873.

1869

Amounts recommended by Finance Committee to be remitted

Adam Hugh Collector. Roll for 1869

No. on Roll	Names	Amount	Remarks
	East ward		
3	Thomas Davidson	2.00	Poll
11	Wm Reyambault	2.00	"
12	Basil Proulx.	2.00	"
13	Marcelle Bailange	2.00	"
35	Rev. R. McGeoch	2.00	"
124	Stephen Cunningham	2.00	"
		12.00	

Centre Ward

22	Henry Kinnegan	2.00	Volunteer
24	John Kinnear	2.00	Poll
36	Leon[d]. Kennedy	2.00	"
52	John Grant	2.00	Volunteer
81	W[m]. Burton	2.00	Overseer.
85	A H McLennan	2.00	
86	Angus McDonald	2.00	Volunteer.
120	Peter McLennan	2.00	do
137	Joseph Wythes	2.00	do.
138	W[m]. Brown	2.00	
187	Ed. Burnett	2.00	Volunteer
221	W[m]. R.D. Campbell	6.00	Indigent
241	Alpheus Blair	2.00	Poll
287	Donald McDonald	2.00	Volunteer
314	Simon Horan	2.00	Poll
328	Arch[d] Munro.	2.00	"
329	Rod[k]. M[c]. Lynch	2.00	"
338	John Baker.	2.00	"
363½	W[m]. Anlok.	2.00	Volunteer
381	John Purvis.	2.00	Blind
419	John McDonald	2.00	Poll.
434	Arthur Chase.	2.00	"
17	Dan McCulloch.	2.00	Poll
18	Rev[d]. W. Dickson	10.00	Minister.
41	Joseph McLeod	2.00	Poll
42	Angus Clarke	2.00	"
73	Alex. M[c]. Carty	2.00	"
84	B. F Finch.	2.00	"
85	Benj. Beckwith.	2.00	"
103	John Farran	2.00	"
132	John Millar	2.00	"
133	John Martin	2.00	"
13	John Smith	7.00	Indigent
		$95.00	

1870

Adam High. Collector

In account Corporation Dr. Cr. Balance

To amount Collectors Roll 4336.43½

Error in addition Page 11 2.00

" 15 90.00

" 26 1.00

" 29 1.00

4430.43½

Cr.

1870. By amount paid Treasr as p. Cash Book 4059.50

" recommended by Finance Committee to be written off 76.00 4135.50

To Bal: due. £ 294.93½

Council Room. Cornwall April 21. 1873.

Amounts recommended by Finance Committee to be written off —

Adam High. Collectors Roll. 1870.

No Roll	Names	Amount	
71	Wm Cathcart	2.00	Poll
157	Alexander Grant	2.00	Volunteer
	Centre Ward	4.00	
23	Alex. McGregor	2.00	Poll
34	Don. Kinnoy	2.00	Do.
76	Peter McLennan	2.00	Volunteer
86	James Cathcart Jr	2.00	Poll
132	Wm. Gillespie	2.00	"
134	W Howard	2.00	"
136	W. Thompson	2.00	Under age
137	Allan Grant	2.00	Poll
166	Old. Demo.	2.00	Sick
250	Hugh Buchanan	8.00	Absent
252	Wm Rob. Campbell	6.00	Indigent
255	M Brown	2.00	Poll
259	Dan. Kenny	2.00	"
260	Alex. Ross.	2.00	"
261	Colin McKercher	2.00	"
267	Arthur Clive.	2.00	"

352	Louis Stone	2.00	Pd
376	Don McDonald	2.00	Pd Subs
483	Wm Farran.	2.00.	Pd
476	Jas Crawford.	2.00	"
	West Ward	54 00	
28	Revd. W Dixon	10.00	Pd
58	William Ness	2 00	Pd
63	Gordon Runnions	2.00	Pd
91	Wm Talbot Jr.	2.00	"
		70.00	
104	Wm. McDonell	2.00	Pd
179	Raphael Balbo.	2.00	"
212	James Day	2.00	"
		76.00.	

1871

Allan Fish Collector

In account with Municipality Town Cornwall

To amount Collectors Roll.			4632.15
Error in addition page 30 -			41.00
	Cr.		4673 15
1871 By amount pd. Treasr as per Book.		3945.00	
Non resident Land Tax. Ch. Pay 42.		46.45	
Error on pay. No. 702. 1869. Chgd. 2 ce.		10.00	
Amount recommended by Finance Committee			
Not remitted		38.00.	4039.45
			633.70

Council Room
Cornwall April 21. 1873.

Amounts recommended by Finance Committee to be written off Adam Dick Collector Roll 1870

No. Roll.	Names	Amount	Remarks
	Centre Ward.		
79	Andrew Dixon	2.00	Roll
80	John Carpenter	2.00	Voluntr
116	Robt Macdougall	6.00	Indigent
138	H Howard	2.00	Roll
139	Wm McEdward	2.00	"
132	Wm Martin	2.00	Voluntr
253	Wm Bowlby	2.00	Roll
263	Arthur Cline	2.00	"
362	Wm Block	2.00	Voluntr
367	Corporation	1.00	Exempt
418	Nic Ruis	2.00	Roll
506	Geo Colwood	2.00	"
510	Robt Cline	2.00	"
512	Robt Selwick.	2.00	"
		31.00	
	West Ward		
267	Widow Wade	6.00	Indigent
125	John Barlow.	1.00	Mun Ct
		38.00	

Moved by Com. Snetsinger seconded by Com. McLean that the Mayor & Com. Mattice & the Dy. Reeve be a committee for the purpose of taking such steps as they may deem meet to collect all the arrears of taxes and that they report to this Council at its next meeting

Carried

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Com. Johnstone that said committee have same powers to take steps to collect

the debt due the Corporation from Mr. Ness.
Carried
Moved by Comm. Mattice seconded by Comm. Atchison that the Mayor Reeve & Dy. Reeve and Comm. Johnstone and Snetsinger form and be the Courts of Revision for the current year
Carried
Moved by the Dy Reeve seconded by Comm. McLean that the Mayor be instructed to open a correspondence and ascertain the cost &c of a stone crushing machine and report as to same to the Council at its next meeting
Carried
Moved by Comm. Mattice seconded by Comm. Turner that the Reeve Dy. Reeve & Comm. Atchison be a roads committee for the current year
Carried
Moved by Comm. Mattice seconded by Comm. Ross that the action of the Mayor in accepting the resignation of High Constable Seward, on the 8th of this instant be confirmed and approved.
Carried
Moved by the Reeve seconded by Comm. McLean that the a/cs now received be referred to the finance committee
Carried
Moved by the Reeve seconded by Comm. Atchison that By Law No 157 amending the Market By Law be read a first time
Carried
Moved Said By Law was accordingly read a first time

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Comm. Atchison that said By Law No 157 be read a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the contrary

Carried

Said By Law No. 157 was accordingly read a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor.

Comm. Mattice here gave notice that at the next meeting of the Council he will introduce a By Law to regulate the selling of milk.

Moved by Comm. Atchison seconded by Comm. Turner that Mr. Hodge be authorized to repair the side walk and railing on the south side of the canal west from the bridge and to put in his account for same.

Carried

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Comm. Snetsinger that another Counsel be retained to assist Mr. Bethune in suit of Cline vs Corporation of the Town of Cornwall if Mr. Bethune so desires

Carried

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Comm. McLean that a vote of thanks to the Finance Committee be passed for their clear and exhaustive report on the arrears of taxes due the Corporation

Carried

Moved by the Dy Reeve seconded by Comm Johnstone that the Clerk be instructed to advertise in the Cornwall Gazette and Montreal Witness (Daily) for a caretaker for

the Hall &c and a High Constable

Carried

Moved by Coun. Mallice seconded by Coun. Rose that the Council adjourn to the first Monday in May at 7½ P.M.

Carried

Approved

Wm. C. Allen. Mayor

James Dingwall
Town Clerk

Council Room May 5th 1873
7½ P.M.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment Present the Mayor Reeve Dy Reeve and Coun. Johnstone Rose Snetsinger Craig and Turner

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Collectors' Roll for 1873 was then presented as returned.

The Mayor read a statement of Poll and other taxes for 1872 recommended by the Finance Committee to be remitted, on Josephus Bayley's Roll for said year amounting to the sum of $103.62½ as follows namely:—

Non Roll	Names	Amounts	Remarks
	East ward		
12	Peter Jessamin	$2.00	Poll
15	Wm Brooks	$2.00	"
20	Wm Green	$2.00	"
21	Elias Hall	$2.00	"
22	J. Markland	$2.00	"
76	Arthur McArthur	$2.00	"
154	F. Marchand	$2.50	Chg twice
		$14.50	

No. on Roll	Names	Amounts	Remarks
		$14.50	
	Centre Ward		
39	Revd. Mr. Binnie	$18.00	Manse
43	Wm. Bristoe	$4.00	No Income
63	John Cline	$2.00	Poll
195	John McMahon	$2.00	"
252	Hugh Murchison	$3.00	dead
289 & 522	Trustees Scotch Church	$6.00	Chg. Twice
361	T. Remean	$2.00	Poll
403	Mrs. S. Anderson	$2.00	Indigent
405	John Prens	$2.00	"
427	Hector Craig	$2.00	Volunteer
428	Mic Doyle	$2.00	Poll
519	Don. McCrimmon	$2.00	"
		$61.50	
	West Ward		
50	Jos. Coulliffe	$2.00	Under age
51	John Smith	$3.00	Indigent
94	E. Simpson	$2.00	Poll
112	Archd. Mulhern	$2.00	"
133	R. Sedgwick	$2.00	"
147	Mrs. Wade	$6.00	Indigent
177	P. McCourt	$2.00	Volunteer
185	John Carpenter Junr.	$3.00	No property
203	D. Marchand	$3.00	Away
	Wm. Hill	$2.00	Overcharge
	Saml. Cline	$2.00	Chg. Twice
	Wm. Bancroft	$4.00	Away
		$94.50	

Parties who have signed Separate School Lists and which must be credited to Collector

Jas. Fraser	$1.50
Pat. Duffy	.87½
Mrs. Alex. McDonell	1.00
Duncan McDonell	3.75
John Minor	.75
Peter Minor	.75
	$103.12½

$103.12½

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" " " " 6 10.00

$113.62½

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Com. Johnstone that the List just read by the Mayor be entered in the minutes of this Council and that the Collector get credit for same on his Roll

Carried

Moved by Com. Turner seconded by Com. Rose that the Clerk be authorized to change Hugh Paynes Tavern licence inspector so as to be for the house in which he now is

Carried

Moved by Com. Johnstone seconded by the Reeve that the following accounts be received and paid namely,

Cornwall Gazette Publishing

By Law No 152 (Bonuses) & other things (a/c) $44.18

Cornwall Gazette Printing 200 Pamphlets $15.00

Montreal Telegraph Company a/c .98

Dominion Telegraph Company a/c $2.96

J. Dingwall a/c quarters salary to Apl 20th $25.00

Grand Trunk Railway

Passage of Mrs Mitchell to Montreal $1.35

do " poor person to Brockville $1.50 $2.85

Charles Robinson two days work $2.00

Mr Chantelou a/c for Lamps $49.25

12 months to Apl 1st 73

David McDougall rent of small pox house $33.00

May 17 [illegible]

Mary Bowles three months rent	$3.00
Miles Le Clair keeping Ben. Anderson 6 weeks	$12.00
Joseph Sheeney breaking stones	$2.00
Jos. Reno breaking 10 yds stone	$4.00
Wm Carpenter breaking 5 yds stone	$2.00
James R. Rose a/c repairing hearse &c	$29.75
Jos. Reno a/c 1/2 cord wood	$ 2.50

Moved by Coun. Craig seconded by Coun. Turner that hereafter the hearse be not given except to inhabitants of the Town
Carried

Moved by the Reeve seconded by the Dy. Reeve that the Council adjourn to tomorrow evening at 8 P.M.
Carried

James Dingwall
Town Clerk

Approved
Wm. P. Allen. Mayor

Council Room May 6th 1873 7 1/2 P.M.

Council met pursuant to adjournment. Present the Mayor Reeve Dy Reeve and Coun. Craig Johnstone Sretsinger Rose Mattice Turner and Aletrson

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved

A large number of applications for the office of Constable were read

Moved by the Dy. Reeve seconded by Coun. Johnstone that the Mayor Reeve & Coun Turner Sretsinger and Mattice be a

Committee with full powers to employ a constable for the ensuing year and a caretaker of the Hall and a lamplighter and to fix the salary of each

Carried

Moved by Com. Craig seconded by Com. Turner that Mrs Blyth receive $20.00 for the last use of the drain opposite her house on Pitt Street, that the corporation drain opened into Mrs Blyth's drain be closed and that hereafter the Council have nothing to do with Mrs Blyth's drain and that the depression at the crossing of third and Pitt street be filled up and that Mrs Blyth be notified accordingly

Carried

Moved by Com. Atchison seconded by Com. Johnstone that the following a/cs be received and paid namely,

Henry Silmser laying sidewalk at Woolen factory & other work	$8.62
Charles Poole for use of room for Provincial election of 1872	$4.00

Carried

Moved by the Dy. Reeve seconded by the Reeve that the Mayor be instructed to treat with John Parker for the purchase of a stone breaker

Carried

The Reeve gives notice that at next meeting he will introduce a By Law for the appointment of a Town Coroner

Carried

Moved by the Dy. Reeve seconded by Comm. Mattice that the Treasurer do issue his warrant according to the Statute in that behalf directed to the Sheriff of the United Counties to recover the arrearages of taxes for the years 1864, 1865, 1869, 1870 and 1871

Carried

Moved by the Reeve seconded by the Dy. Reeve that the Council adjourn to the 12th inst. at 7½ P. M.

Carried

James Dingwall
Town Clerk

Approved
2 June 1873

Wm C Allan
Mayor

Council Room
May 12th at 7½ P. M.

Pursuant to adjournment The Mayor Reeve Dy. Reeve & Comm. Johnstone met — After waiting until 8½ P. M., and no other Councillors appearing they dispersed without there having been a quorum.

Approved

James Dingwall
Town Clerk

2 June 1873 Wm C Allan Mayor

Council Room
May 27th 1873 10 A.M.

A Special meeting was called for above time to discuss whether any arrangement could or should be made with A. Eligh Collector

Present The Mayor Reeve Dy. Reeve & Comm. McLean Craig Johnstone Rob Luetsinger Atchison and Mattice

After considerable discussion in fav-

mally
Moved by the Reeve seconded by Com. Johnstone that the Council adjourn to 7½ P.M.

May 27th 7½ P.M.

Present The Mayor Reeve Dy. Reeve & Com. McLean Johnstone Craig Inet-singer Mattice Atchison Rose & Turner

Moved by Com. Atchison seconded by Com. Craig that the Report of the Finance Committee be received & read

The said Report was read according by.

Moved by the Dy. Reeve seconded by Com. Mattice that the Report of the Finance Committee just read be ~~received~~ adopted and ~~filed~~ entered in the minutes of the proceedings of this Council. Carried unanimously

Moved by the Dy. Reeve seconded by Com. Rose that the Mayor be instructed to see that the Report of the finance Committee be carried out and that he be hereby authorized to receive the mortgage & Bond mentioned in said Report when the same have been satisfactorily executed Carried unanimously

~~The Council then dispersed~~

The following is the Report above referred to.

Com Committee met

respectfully recommend that the offer made by Dr McDiarmid today on behalf of Adam High Collector in Consideration of the Municipal Council withdrawing the Claim at present in the Sheriffs hands under the warrant of the Treasurer be accepted viz:—
That the said Dr McDiarmid shall give to the Council a good and sufficient mortgage with the necessary covenants securing to the Municipal Council of the Town of Cornwall the sum of four hundred and seventy seven dollars and ninety eight and one half cents of lawful money of Canada payable one year after date and a Bond securing to the Council a further sum of three hundred and fifty dollars and fifty cents of lawful money of Canada which said sum of $350.50 appears to be still due the Collector for 1869 1870 & 1871 And your Committee also recommend that upon payment of the mortgage and the above mentioned sum of $350.50 that the Collector and his sureties be relieved from all further liability.
All which is respectfully submitted

(signed) S. Mattice
Ch. Finance Com.
(signed) N. Turner
(signed) A Bethune

Council Rooms
May 27. 1873
Cornwall

A. Kligh Collector

In a/c with Corporation Town of Cornwall

To Amt due as per Finance Committee statement for 1869 $418.35

" " " " " " " 1870 294.53½

" " " " " " " 1871 633.70

" " by Collector for Colin McKercher forgiven by Fin. Com. in former Report 2.00

$1348.98½

Cr

By further amts recom^d to be forgiven 1869 $19.00

" " " " " 1870 9.50

" " " " " 1871 19.00

" Error in page 32 Coll. Roll 1870 63.00

" Amt p^d Treasurer this day 102.00 212.50

$1136.48½

Cr

By amt still unp^d & Collectable 1869 $98.00

" " " " 1870 86.50

" " " " 1871 166.00

$350.50

" Salary as Collector 1869 60.00

" " " Inspector 1871 10.00

" " " Coll & Ass 1871 120.00

" " " Sel. of Jurors 1871 4.00

" " " Assessor 1872 60.00

" " " Sel. of Jurors 1872 4.00

" " " Assessor 1873 50.00 658.50

$477.98½

Actual Bals due by Coll when above amt of $350.50 is handed in by him to Treasurer

(signed) J. Mattice

Chairman Finance Committee

Council Rooms

Cornwall May 27. 1873

1869

Amounts still unpaid and collectable as per A. Elijh's (Collector) Roll for above Year

No on Roll	Names	Amounts	Remarks
	East ward		
6	Jco Robideau	$2.00	
43	An McAlear	2.00	
121½	J. Riviere & D.A. Cameron	3.50	
145	Estate of Justice McLean	20.50	$28.00
	Centre ward		
41	Wm Bettime & Col. McLean	$6.00	
79½	John McAdam	2.00	
182	Ed. Kewin & Miss Amable	10.00	
182	Ed. Kewin & D.A. McDonell	3.00	
227	A.W. Ross	5.00	
244	John Smith & D. McDonell	4.00	
287	Alex. McGillis	2.00	
310	A.R. McDonell	4.00	
339	Estate of Justice McLean	4.00	
346	R. Hannagan & W.C. Allen	3.00	
350	Thos. Wilson & W.C. Allen	5.00	
422	Miss McDonell & P.E. Adams	2.50	$50.50
	West ward		
8	Wm Bettime	$5.00	
20	Chas. Rattray	7.00	
137	J.B. McLennan	3.50	
179	Mic. Riviere	2.00	
185	Mic. Callaghan & D. Melarkey	2.00	$19.50
			$98.00

1870

Amounts still unpaid and collectable as per A. Kilgh's (Collector) Roll for above year

No on Roll	Names	Amounts	
	East ward		
22	Mrs Roach or J Warwick	$2.00	
41	Geo. L. Jarvis	2.50	
42	Estate of Justice McLean	10.00	
58	An. McAlear	2.00	
64	Revd Dr. Urquhart	3.00	
102	Dr. McDonell	2.00	$21.50
	Centre ward		
65	J.W. Lewis	$1.00	
88	Mr. Bradbury	8.00	
152	Thos. Wildon or P. Vankoughnet	8.00	
162	Alex. McDonell	2.00	
187	Wm Gollinger	2.00	
188	Wm Dolmson or Alex. Morris	4.00	
209	A.C. Cameron	2.00	
329	Geo. Burdon or J. Kilgour	3.00	
381	Estate of Justice McLean	4.00	
392	Thos. Wildon or W.C. Allen	3.00	
451	John McArthur	6.00	$43.00
	West ward		
45	T. Tyfe or D.B. Rob	5.00	
50	Dan. McDonell or Jon A. McDonell	6.00	
121	Ay. Smith or D.E. McIntyre	2.50	
147	Step Coulliffe or J.B. McLennan	2.50	
209	Ay Silmser or John Silmser	4.00	
211	D.S. McDonald	2.00	$22.00
			$86.50

1871

Amounts still unpaid and Collectable as per A. Blyth's (Collector) Roll for above year

No. on Roll	Names	Amounts	
	East ward		
25	Cole McDonald	$3.00	
29	Mr. McMillan	3.00	
123	Chas Poole or Jas. Craig	7.00	
152	Mrs A. Kirkey	3.00	$16.00
	Centre ward		
16	Don. McLennan	$8.00	
66	John Bergin or P.G. Adams	5.00	
82	Geo Burdon or Alex. McDougall	18.00	
99	Ed. Geddes or Do	6.00	
130	Wm Thompson	2.00	
131	John Murray	2.00	
183	Alex. McDonell	2.00	
196	Dun. McIntyre	2.00	
256	Mr. McGregor	5.00	
291	Mrs Harrison or Dr. McDonell	6.00	
349	Geo. Pocock	12.00	
360	Jas. Duncan or W.P. Allen	2.50	
422	R. Craig or Miss Hart	3.00	
459	Do or Phil. Carpenter	4.00	
471	John McCarthur	6.00	
481	Wm Blyth or Mic. McElroy	2.50	
501	Mr. Coyne	8.00	
507	H.L. McDonald	2.00	$96.00
	West ward		
28	Dr. Rattray	$27.00	
44	Pat. Denneny or H.L. McDonald	4.00	
52	Dr. John Wood	4.00	
67	John Connor or C.J. Mattice	3.00	
86	Wm Clarke	1.00	
97	Wagner Estate	4.00	
150	Jas. F. Johnson	8.00	
152	H. McCallum Senr	3.00	$54.00
			$166.00

1869

Further amounts recommended by Finance Committee to be remitted on A. Cliffs – Collector – Roll for above year

No. on Roll	Names	Amounts	Remarks
	East ward		
23	Ay Silvester	$2.00	Volunteer
86	Mrs Barney Davey	$6.00	Lost her home
	Centre ward		
14	Alex. Watty	$3.00	Away
23	Thos. Keeley	2.00	Volunteer
323	Jos. Cheney	2.00	Do
363	Mrs McLean	1.00	
424	Wm Hill	2.00	
	West ward		
59	Phil. Wiley	$1.00	No Income
		$19.00	

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	East ward		
73	Arthur Scott	$1.50	Dead
	Centre ward		
16	Leon Dorey	$2.00	Poll
87	Mr. McDowall	2.00	over age
85	Ay LaRose	2.00	Poll
133	Arch Copeland	2.00	away
		$9.50	

1871

	East ward		
20	Mrs Roach	2.00	Indigent
38	Geo. Potter	2.00	away
66	Widow Adams	3.00	Indigent
161	Peter Legrow	2.00	Do
	Centre ward		
227	Wm Ward	$2.00	away
318	Widow Ay. McDowell	2.00	Indigent
382	Jas. Denney	2.00	away
514	Wm. Annable	2.00	Do
	West ward		
25	Jas. Cameron	$2.00	
		$19.00	

Council Rooms June 2nd 1873
8 O'Clock P.M.

The Regular monthly meeting took place

Present The Mayor Reeve Deputy Reeve & Comm. Johnstone Ross Smetsinger Craig & Turner

The minutes of the last three meetings were read and approved

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Comm. Craig that the recommendation of ~~the~~ Committee for the appointment of W. Lawrence as Town Constable Town Hall Caretaker Lamplighter &c during the pleasure of the Council at a salary of four hundred and twenty dollars without fees be approved and acted upon.

Carried

Moved by the Reeve seconded by the Dy. Reeve that By Law No 158 for the appointment of Wm Lawrence as High Constable &c be read a first time

Carried

said By Law was accordingly read a first time.

Moved by the Dy. Reeve seconded by Comm. Smetsinger that said By No 158 be read a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the contrary

Carried

said By Law was accordingly read a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Com. Craig that Wm Lawrence be pound keeper for the Town of Cornwall and that the pound be on the south part of lot number sixteen on the south side of South Street in rear of the Town Hall and that he be allowed to receive to his own use the usual pound keepers fees Carried

Moved by Com. Johnstone seconded by Com. Craig that the following a/cs be received and paid namely:—

John Dougall (daily witness) Advertising for Constable	$4.40
Wm Mattice & Sons Coal oil stationery &c	43.59
Hugh McCallum Stone supplied to bridge at Perkins in 1870	3.00
Mary Smith caring for Miss Dalley's child	2.00
G.T.R. passage of pauper to Montreal	1.50
Montreal Tel. Coy. a/c	.25

Moved by Com. Turner sec'd by Com. Craig that Council adjourn to first Monday in July at 8 P.M. Carried

James Dingwall
Town Clerk

Approved
Wm. J. Allen
Mayor

1st July 1879

Council Rooms June 17th 1873

Present The Mayor Reeve Dy. Reeve & Com. Craig Johnstone Snetsinger Atchison & Mattice

The Mayor stated the object of the meeting to be to consider a telegram received signed by the city Clerk of Montreal inviting the Council to attend the funeral of Mayor Cassidy.

Moved by the Dy. Reeve seconded by Com. Craig that if the Mayor and any other member of the Council can possibly attend said funeral then their expenses shall be paid by the Corporation

Carried

James Smipwall
Town Clerk
1st Sept 1873

Approved
Wm. Allen
Mayor

Council Room July 7th 1873 8 P.M.

The regular monthly meeting was held this evening at 8 P.M. — Present The Mayor Reeve Dy. Reeve and Com. Snetsinger — No business was done from the want of a quorum.

Approved

Jas. Smipwall
Town Clerk 1st Sept 1873

Wm. Allen
Mayor

Council Room Aug 4th 1873 8 P.M.

The regular monthly meeting was held this evening — Present the Mayor Dy. Reeve & Com. Craig Ross and Snetsinger. No business done — No quorum.

Jas. Smipwall
Town Clerk
1st Sept 1873

Approved
Wm. Allen
Mayor

1873

Council Room September 1st
The Regular monthly meeting was held
Present The Mayor Reeve Dy. Reeve & Comm. McLean Craig Turner and Atchison
The minutes of the four previous meetings were read and approved
Moved by the Reeve seconded by the Dy. Reeve that all accounts due by the Corporation be referred to the finance Committee which is to report thereon at next meeting of Council Carried
Moved by the Reeve seconded by Comm. McLean that the Council adjourn to Thursday the 4th day of September inst. at 7 O'clock P.M. Carried

4th Sept 1873 Approved Wm. L. Allan Mayor.

Council Room Sep 4th 1873
The Council met pursuant to adjournment at 7 P.M.
Present The Mayor Reeve Dy. Reeve & Comm. McLean Ross Snetsinger Mattice Atchison Johnston & Turner
The Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved of.
Moved by the Deputy Reeve seconded by the Reeve that the Report of the finance Committee be read Carried.
The Report was read

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The following is a true Copy of Report

Finance Committee
Present Chairman Alderman D. Dunn
& the Mayor and Corporation Borough of Cornwall

Your finance committee have carefully examined the annexed accounts beg- respectfully to recommend that the several amounts for Stone for macadamizing purposes and for labor &c. be paid

All of which is respectfully submitted

Cornwall Sep. 4. 1873. E. Chairman

Telegraph a/c.			1.26
Hugh McCallum. 13½ days work	1.75.		23.62
Wm McAtee 59 Rods Stone side walk	50.		29.50
Mic Brown 4 days self & Horse.	1.50.		6.00
" 26¼ work.	1.		26.25
Geo. Coles 7. work.	1.50.		10.50
Wm Walker Sen. 13½	1.		13.50
J. Imbeau ¾	1		.75
Don. Dunn. 12. 1½ hours work	1.25		15.18
H Barnhart 8. 6.	1.25		10.75
C. Graham. work with Team.			34.25
McFadden 13½ days. work.	@ 1.		13.50
Mic Norman. 13.	@ 1.		13.00
Mic Gallagher 6.	1		6.00
" 1	Team.		2.50
J Donachue 23½	1.		23.50
John Burton ½ Team.	2.50		1.25
James Duval. 1. —	1.50		1.50
Charles Robinson digging Clarkes grave			1.25
Thompson Glazing Town Hall			1.15
Map united Counties			1.20
			236.41

			236.44
	Wm Pringle 3 mos. gratuity Mary Bowe to 1 Feb.		3.00
	John A McClock agst Insurance Town Hall		15.00
	Wm McDonell Bailiff disbursements		4.50
	Hands hunting for unloading Empire Stone Barker		9.00
	John Stokes 3 days work. 1.		3.00
	Wm Lawrence Cleaning Town. agst.		25
	Settle Monroeville Rep. House.		8.00
	And. Hodge Rep. Railing & walk at Mill &c.		103.34
	" " Cleaning Town pm. River Thames.		6.00
	Wm Dingwall 1/4 y. Salary to 23. Feb.		25.00
	R. French &c. allowing Account		9.25
	Hundred Bus. nails &c.		73.63
		per Stone.	496.38
June 23	To Adam Fellowes.	6 Cords	18.00
	John Smith	3.	9.00
	Hy Selwin	4 1/4.	12.75
	Ephraim Lowry	1.	3.00
	Wm Eamer.	11.	33.00
	Geo. Cline	3 1/4.	9.75
	Duncan Hastie.	6 1/4.	18.75
28	John Burton	7 1/8	21.38
	Martin Burton	9	27.00
July 8.	Albert Hess.	7	21.00
	John Smith	5 1/4	15.75
	Duncan Hastie	1 1/2	4.50
14	Hy Selwin	6.	18.00
15	Fr. Fellowes	4 1/2	13.50
16	Adam Fellowes	4	12.00
19	Phil. Hart	9 3/4.	29.25
20	Wm Eamer.	7.	21.00.
	Martin Burton	4 1/2	13.50
		100 3/8 @	301.13
			797.51

Moved by the Dy. Reeve seconded by Com. Mattice that the Report of the Finance Committee as read be adopted Carried

Moved by Com. Atchison seconded by Com. McLean that the following a/cs be paid

J. & J. Robertson 528 pieces of scantling as per a/c $69.69

John Jessamin hauling in stone breaker from S. F. R. 24.75

Carried

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Dy. Reeve that the a/c of $11.25 for necessaries supplies to Mary Dolly & child be paid

Carried

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Com. McLean that the Mayor be authorized to purchase 1000 pieces of plank in addition to what is already bought Carried

Moved by Com. Turner seconded by Com. Ross that the Mayor be authorized to order the Treasurer to at once proceed with the collection of all monies due by the Collectors in default as per Report of the Finance Committee of date 2nd April 1873

Carried

Moved by the Reeve seconded by the Dy. Reeve that Adam Elgh be paid the amounts due him for assessing and collecting &c for last years amounting to $308 as per Report of Finance Committee.

Carried

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Com. McLean that the following resolution be passed by this Council namely,

Whereas the Town of Cornwall is now supposed to have a population of upwards of Three thousand persons and Whereas the water Power on the Canal at and in the vicinity of said Town is very great and Whereas there are at present in operation in the said Town a large woollen mill and two large Cotton Mills besides Flour Mills and factories in all at present employing or about to employ upwards of five hundred operatives and Whereas it is in contemplation to build additional and large mills or Factories in or near said Town and Whereas from the proximity of said Town to the United States frontier and to Lower Canada it has and will continue to have more than an average number of a floating population and Whereas it has become necessary for the acting magistracy of the Town to adjudicate upon all the cases that now come before them to be dealt with summarily and otherwise and Whereas it is considered for the forgoing and other sufficient reasons expedient that a police magistrate should be appointed for said Town under the provisions of Section 331 of the Municipal Act

act of 1873. Thereupon be it resolved and by the municipal Council of the Town of Cornwall aforesaid that it is expedient that a police Magistrate for the said Town should be appointed as soon as possible and they do hereby approve the expediency of making such appointment as aforesaid Carried on a division as follows

Yeas The Reeve Dy. Reeve Comn. McLean Ross Johnston Turner Mattice Atchison & The Mayor

Nay Comn. Snetsinger

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Comn. Johnston that the Council adjourn to the 15th inst. at 7 P.M.

Carried

3rd Nov. 1873

James Dingwall
Town Clerk

Approved
Wm. C. Allen
Mayor

Council Room Feb 15th 1873 7½ P.M.

Present The Mayor Reeve Dy. Reeve & Comn. Craig Mattice and Johnston

At 8 P.M. they dispersed for want of a quorum.

Approved
Wm. C. Allen
Mayor

3 Nov. 1873

James Dingwall
Town Clerk

Council Room Nov 3rd 1873 7½ P.M.

Present the Mayor Reeve Dy. Reeve & Com. Craig Johnstone Ross Snetsinger Mattice and Atchison

The minutes of the two previous meetings were read and approved of

The Estimate of $1550 for Common School purposes was read and adopted

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Com. Craig that the Dy. Reeve Com. Snetsinger and the Mover be appointed a Committee to enquire into all questions regarding the rate levied last year for public school purposes
Carried

The Reeve gives notice that at next meeting he will introduce a By Law under Cap. 67 Ontario Statutes of 1873 to exempt the factories therein mentioned from taxation

Moved by the Dy Reeve seconded by Com. Ross that Josephus Bailey be appointed Collector for the current year at a salary of sixty dollars per annum
Carried

Moved by the Dy. Reeve seconded by Com. Ross that By Law No 157 for the appointment of Josephus Bailey Collector for the current year at a salary of sixty dollars be read a first time
Carried

Said By Law was accordingly read a first time.

Moved by Comm. Mattice seconded by Comm. Johnston that said By Law be read a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the contrary

Carried

Said By Law was accordingly read a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor

The estimate, of the finance committee of expenditure for the next year was read and adopted

Moved by Comm. Mattice seconded by Comm. Johnston that one cent in the dollar be the rate to be levied on all taxable property for the current year

Carried

Moved by Comm. Craig seconded by Comm. Atchison that By Law No 160 for the levying of said rate be read a first time

Carried

Said By Law was accordingly read a first time

Moved by Comm. Mattice seconded by Comm. Ross that said By Law be read a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor any rule or ordinance to the contrary notwithstanding

Carried

Said By Law was accordingly read

a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Com. Craig that the following a/cs be received and paid, namely,

Josephus Bailey selecting Jurors		$4.00
Adam Elgh	Do	4.00
W.C. Allen	Do	4.00
J. Dingwall	Do	4.00
Do	1/4 Salary	25.00

Moved by the Dy. Reeve seconded by Com. Turner that the Council adjourn to tomorrow at 7 P.M.

Carried

4th Nov. 1873

James Dingwall
Town Clerk

Approved
Wm. C. Allen
Mayor

Council Room
Nov. 4th 1873 7 P.M.

Present the Mayor Reeve Dy. Reeve & Com. Craig Johnston Roe & Snetsinger Turner McLean & Atchison

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved of

Moved by the Dy. Reeve seconded by the Reeve that By Law No [illegible] for the exemption from taxation for 21 years of the Cornwall Woolen Factory the ~~Stormont~~ Cotton Factory and the

Cornwall Cotton Factory be read a first time
Moved by Comm. Craig seconded by Comm. Kretsinger in amendment that said factories be only exempted from taxation for one year at present - the By Law for 21 years exemption to be deferred for submission to the ratepayers. The amendment for one years exemption from taxation was then put and carried ~~Yeas Ho Mayor & Comm. Craig Johnston Rops Kretsinger McLean & Atchison. Nays the~~
Moved by Comm. Atchison seconded by Comm. Rops that By Law No 161 for the exemption of said factories from taxation for one year be read a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the contrary notwithstanding Carried

said By Law was accordingly read a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor

By Law Moved by the Reeve seconded by the Dy. Reeve that By Law No 162 for exempting Mr. Hodge's Factory from taxation for one year be read a first time Carried
Said By Law was accordingly read a first time.

Moved by Comm. Atchison seconded by the Dy. Reeve that said By Law be read a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor any rule or ordinance to the contrary notwithstanding

Carried

Said By Law was accordingly read a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Comm. Atchison that the Collectors Roll be placed in the hands of the Collector as soon as he has executed Bail Bonds to the satisfaction of the Finance Committee Carried

Moved by Comm. McLean seconded by Comm. ~~Atchison~~ Kipp that 1000 (one thousand) planks more be purchased by the Mayor Carried

Moved by Comm. Craig seconded by Comm. Johnston that Messrs Kirkpatrick & McIntyre be at liberty to put a crossing opposite their store to be as good as the present new ones, to be subject to the approval of the road committee and to be kept in good repair Carried

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Comm. Johnston that the Council adjourn to the 1st dec. next at 7 P. M.

Approved
Wm. C. Allen
Mayor

1st Dec 1873

James Duncan
Town Clerk

Council Room Dec 1st 1873 7 P.M.

Present the Mayor Reeve Dy. Reeve & Com. Craig Johnston Rose Pretsinger Mattice Innes and Atchison

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved of

Moved by the Reeve seconded by the Dy Reeve that R. Carman be Returning Officer for the west ward Cornwall in the ensuing Municipal election the nominations and polling to be at the Town Hall — Chas. Poole to be similar Returning Officer for the Cent. ward the nominations and polling to be at the Common School House — and Geo. Burdon to be in like manner Returning Officer for the East ward the Nominations and polling to be at the house of Alex. Barnhart Lot No. 7 S. side of 2nd St.

Carried

Moved by the Dy Reeve seconded by Com. Mattice that By Law No 163 for the appointment of Returning Officers & polling places be read a first time

Carried

Said By Law was accordingly read

Moved by Com. Mattice seconded by Com. Johnston that By Law No 163 be read a first & second time passed signed by the Mayor and sealed

or ordinance to the contrary notwithstanding Carried

Said By Law No 163 was accordingly read a first & second time passed & signed by the mayor

The Report of the Finance Committee as to receiving Roll for 1872 from the Collectors hands was read

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Com. Atchison that said Report of the F. Committee be adopted Carried

The Report is as follows:—

Josephus Bailey Collector
In a/c with Corporation Township Cornwall

1872

Roll		Amt	Remarks
12	Peter Jessamine	$2.00	under age
15	Mr. Brooks	2.00	pd taxes elsewhere
20	Mr Green	2.00	Away
21	Elias Hall	2.00	do
22	Mr J. Markland	2.00	do
24	Mrs J. Roach	2.00	Distress Issued
75	Arthur McCarty	2.00	Away
145	Chas Poole & Jas Craig	7.00	Contra a/c
154	Fred Marchand & J. Quail	2.50	Chg twice
		$23.50	

Rules

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Centre ward

24	Mrs Ann McDonell	$ 7.50	Distress Issued
29	Rev. M. Binnie	18.00	Exempt
43	Mr Bristow	4.00	no property
63	John Cline	2.00	Away
154	Alex McDonell	2.00	no property
178	Chas Lavnie & R Craig	2.50	
195	John McMahon	2.00	no property
186	John Minor	.75	Sch. school
213	Mr Hill	2.00	overcharge
244	Mr Bancroft	4.00	Do
255	Hugh Murchison	3.00	Indigent
292	Mrs Alex McDonell	1.00	Sch. school
357	Vincent Amable	2.50	Away
361	Theophile Remeau	2.00	no property
372	Angus McDonell	5.00	Dis. Issued
378	John Dewar	4.00	
403	Mrs Anderson	2.00	Indigent
405	Joseph Renno	2.00	Do
427	Hector Craig	2.00	Volunteer
428	Mrs Doyle	2.00	No property
438	Pat. Duffy	.87	Sch. school
463	Jas Cheney	4.00	Indigent
480	Robt Anderson	1.05	Dis. Issued
487	Walter Blyth	2.50	Do
579	Don. McCrimmon	2.00	Away
		$104.17	

Westward

80	Geo. Coulliffe	2.00	Overcharge
94	Ed. Simpson	2.00	Away
96	Wm Clarke	7.00	Indigent
112	Arch Mulhern	2.00	Away
118	Saml. Cline	2.00	Chg twice
133	R Sedgwick	2.00	Away
134	Dan. Cameron	2.00	No property
147	Mrs Wade 25.00	6.00	Indigent

		25.00	
177	Rob. McCourt	2.00	Volunteer
179	Jas. Fraser	6.00	Dis. Issued
185	John Carpenter	3.00	N/ Property
203	Olive Marchand	3.00	Away
		39.00	
		104.17	
		$143.17	

Your Finance Committee beg leave to recommend that the above amounts be placed to the credit of the Collectors in the Collectors Roll for 1872

(signed) J. Mattice Chairman
Committee Room " A. Bethune
Nov 29th 1873 " N. Turner

Jos. Bailey Collector
1872 In a/c with Corporation Town of Cornwall

To Amount of Collectors Roll		$4499.52
Error on Roll page 19		20.00
" " " 26		6.00
Amount paid by John Dewar on Distress warrants		12.00
		$4537.52
By Amounts recommended by Finance Committee to be credited	$143.17	
Error on Roll page 2	10.00	
" " " 6	50	
Amount paid Treasurer	4383.85	$4537.52

Your Finance Committee recommend that Jos. Bailey Collector for 1872 be relieved from all responsibility — together with his Sureties and that the Bond be cancelled as the above statement shews that he has fully

accounts for the full amount of Collectors Roll for 1872

(signed) J. Mattice Chairman
Committee Room " A. Bettrum
Nov 29th 1873 " N. Durnford

The Report of the Finance Committee as to expenditure on roads &c was read.

It
Moved by Com. Mattice seconded by Com. Rose that said Report be adopted and that the items in the a/c amounting to four hundred and eighty two 04/100 dollars be paid Carried

The following is said Report as adopted-Copied.

Sundry Parties "For Labour"
1873 In a/c with Corporation Town of Cornwall
Sep 5 M Riviere 4 1/8 days $4.12 1/2

	J. D. Macher	5 1/8	5.12 1/2
	I McFadden	4	4.00
	A McLeod	5 1/4	5.25
	Mic Salinger	3	3.00
	"	3 Team	7.50
12	Mrs. Riviere	5 3/4	5.75
"	Jas McFadden	5 3/4	5.75
	D Macher.	5 3/4	5.75
	A McLeod	5 3/4	5.75
	L. Robinson	5	6.25
	D. Bush	2 1/4	2.25
	Mic Salinger	4 1/4 Team	10.63

	Sam Hamilton	4 1/4 days		$10.62
	P. Carpenter	4		10.00
19	D. McFadden	3/2 work		3.50
	D Mashes	5 1/4		5.25
	Ch. Robinson	4 1/4		5.31
	M. Riviere	5		5.00
	D Bush	4 1/4		4.25
	A. McLeod	3 1/4		3.25
	P. Carpenter	2	Team	5.00
	D. Gallinger	3	"	7.50
	M. Gallinger	3 1/2	"	8.75
26	D. McFadden	3 1/2		3.50
	D. Bush	4 1/2		4.50
	Ch. Robinson	4 1/2		5.63
	M. Riviere	4 1/2		4.50
	D. Gallinger	1		1.00
	P. Carpenter	4 hrs	Team	1.00
	D Gallinger	3 1/2		8.75
	Mic do	3 1/2		8.75
	Saml Hamilton	1/2		1.25
Oct 4	D. McFadden	4 1/2		4.50
	M. Riviere	4 1/2		4.50
	D Bush	3 3/4		5.75
	Ch Robinson	1/2		63
	M. Gallinger	3	Team	7.50
	do	3	"	7.50
11	M. Riviere	6		6.00
	D Mashes	6		6.00
	D. Bush	5 1/2		5.50
	D. McFadden	6		6.00
	Ch. Robinson	3 1/2		4.38
	D. Gallinger	5	Team	12.50
	do	5		12.50
18	M. Riviere	3 1/2		3.50

	J Donacher	6		$6.00
	D. Bush	2		2.00
	J. M^c. Fadden	6		6.00
	C. Robinson	5 1/2		6.87
	D. Fallinger	5 3/4	Team	14.38
	M. Do	5 3/4		14.38
Oct 25	J Donacher	3		3.00
	C Robinson	3		3.75
	J. M^c. Fadden	3		3.00
	D. Bush			2.00
	M. Riviere	3 1/2		3.50
	M. Fallinger	3 1/2	Team	8.75
	Do Do	2 1/2		6.25
Nov 2	J Donacher	4 6/10		4.60
	C. Robinson	1 horn		13
	D. Bush	4 6/10		4.60
	J. M^c. Fadden	4 3/4		4.75
	M. Riviere	4 3/4		4.75
	L. Sherwood	4 3/4		4.75
	Frenchman	1/2		50
	M. Fallinger	3	Team	7.50
	Do Do	3 3/4		9.38
9	J. Donacher	5		5.00
	D. Bush	5		5.00
	J. M^c. Fadden	5		5.00
	M Riviere	5		5.00
	L Sherwood	5		5.00
	D. Fallinger	3 1/2	Team	8.75
	M. Do	4		10.00
16	J. Donacher	5 1/2		5.50
	D. Bush	3 1/4		3.25
	L. Sherwood	5 1/2		5.50
	M. Fallinger	3	Team	7.50
	Do Do	4		10.00

Nov 23	L. Shenwood	1	$1.00
	J. Donaches	1	1.00
	D. Bush	2	2.00
			$464.54
	John Burton 5 cords stone @ 3.00		15.00
			$479.54
Nov 29	D Cameron 1/2 day & D. Bush 1 day		2.50
			$482.04

Your Committee having examined the time Book for Labour and stone furnished since last audit recommend that the foregoing amounts be paid

(signed) J. Mattice Ch. man
A. Bethune
N. Turner

Committee Rooms
Nov 29th 1873

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Com. Johnston that the following a/cs be paid namely

P. E. Adams a/c keeping		
Ben. Anderson May 2/73		
to Oct 17/73 24 weeks		$48.00
Oct 17/73 to Nov 28/73 6 weeks		18.00
P. E. Adams a/c Sundries		8.36
Mrs Ringle for Mrs Bones rent		
up to ~~Nov~~ Oct 1873		2.00
Sending indigent woman to Montreal		1.50
Fare of indigent Invites to Prescott		1.15
Load of wood for Mrs McDonald & Mrs Anderson		4.00

Wm Cline for five sticks of
cedar for bridge in fly $2.50
One load wood for T. Hall 4.25

Carried

A Communication from the Ontario Temperance & Prohibitory League was read requesting the Council to adopt resolutions praying the Legislature to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors, when it was

Moved by the Dy. Reeve seconded by the Reeve that the Mayor and Clerk be authorized to sign resolutions to that effect and forward them to the proper quarter

Carried unanimously

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Com. Johnston that the Council adjourn to the first Monday in January at 7 1/2 P. M.

Carried

14th January 1874 Approved
Wm C Allen
Mayor

James Dingwall

Council Room Jany 17th 1874 7½

A Special was held at 7½ a.m. for general purposes

Present The Mayor Reeve Dy. Reeve & Comn. Craig Johnstone Ross Smiley Turner & Atchison

The Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved of

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Comn. Johnstone that the following accounts be paid namely.

W P. Barkley & Co Chimney for engine	$33.00
Scrubbing Town Hall	2.00
W. Wallace & Sons Sundries as per a/c	37.27
Wm Mack a/c for flour for Mrs Gillespie 50lbs & Mrs Speck 50lbs	3.40
N. Turner & Son Sundries as per a/c	69.39
Wm Simpson Casting plank to W. Ward	.25
Pat. Kenney drawing deals from Montreal by barge	80.00
W. Walker one days work	1.00
W.J. Smith a/c	2.45
Alex. Gravelly drawing 3 loads stone	.45
Jas Bilsland a/c for work	7.80
John Donnaker 1 days work	1.00
Wm Guy for work	4.75

Mrs Pringle for 3 mos rents for
widow McDougall to Jany 17/14 $6.00
Mrs Pringle for 3 mos rents
for Mrs Bowes to Jany 17/14 3.00
J Cameron load wood D.H. 3.75
Don McDonald load wood for
Mrs Anderson 4.00
W. McLennan 5 days work
about engine & Stone breaker 7.50
Jos Burdon Returning Officer
E. ward 2 days 6.00
Chas Poole C. ward Do Do 6.00
R.B. Carman W. ward Do Do 6.00
Alex. Barnhart use of house
Mun. Election & School Do 3 dys 6.00
Carried

Moved by Coun. Atchison seconded
by Coun. Johnston that the sum of
twenty five dollars be allowed
Jas Dingwall as remuneration to
him for extra services as Clerk for past year

The years and nays being called for
Yeas The Reeve Dy Reeve & Coun. Craig
Johnston Ross Turner Atchison &
The Mayor
Nays — Coun. Anderson

Moved by Coun Ross seconded by the
D Reeve that this Council do now
adjourn & do stand adjourned until
19th inst at 10 A.M.
Carried
Wm C Allen Mayor

Council
19th Jany 1914
James Dingwall Town Clerk

Council Room Jany 19th 1874
10 A.M.

The Council met pursuant to adjournment

Present The Mayor Reeve D. Reeve & Comm. Craig McLean Johnstone Ross Snetsinger Turner Mattice and Atchison

Moved by the Reeve seconded by the Dy. Reeve that the following accounts be paid namely,

Jas. Kilgour Sundries as per a/c	$13.40
J. Bailey Collector for 1872 $60	
Assessor for 1873 50	110.00
John Parker on a/c of stone crusher & engine	1021.20
Wm Burns 2 days work as per a/c	2.00
Chas Robinson 3/4 days work as per a/c	.75
John Smart freight of engine Chimney from Montreal	1.00
Grand Trunk Railway freights of stone breaker & engine (a/c)	18.00
Wm Walker one days work	1.00
Montreal Telegraph Co (a/c)	1.54
Jas. Kilgour Salary - Treasurer for 1873	50.00
John Keith Sundries (a/c)	29.25
Jordan & Bernard for deals (a/c)	908.00
John McKhee Sundries (a/c)	9.24

Carried

Moved by Comm. McLean seconded by Comm. Turner that Mrs Littlefield be rebunded $7.50 on account of

Billiard license paid by her that A.C. Cameron be refunded $35 on accounts of shop license and that McCracken & Hoffmeir be also refunded $35 on accounts of shop license lately taken out by them and that Miles L'Clair be refunded $7.50 on accounts of Carters license taken out by him today

Carried

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Com. McLean that the Mayor do now leave the Chair and that the Dy Reeve do take the same

Carried

The Mayor thereupon left the Chair and Council Room and the Dy. Reeve took the Chair

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Com. McLean that the sum of sixteen hundred dollars be paid to the Mayor William Cox Allen Esquire under the provisions of Chapter 48 section 173 (36th Victoria) Statutes of Ontario as remuneration for his services as Mayor and Head of the Corporation

The Yeas and Nays being called for on this Resolution by Com. Switzer it was declared Carried on the following division

Yeas — The Reeve Comm. McLean

Johnstone Mattice Atchison & The Dy. Reeve & Com. Ross Nays — Com. Craig Turner & Snetsinger

The Dy Reeve hereupon left the Chair and the Mayor took the same

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Com. Atchison that By Law no. 164 for the payments of a/cs for the current year be now read a first time

Carried

The By Law was accordingly read a first time

Moved by the Reeve seconded by Com. Snetsinger that the sum of ninety three dollars as recommended by the Special Committee be paid to the Treasurer of the separate School here on account of excess of expenditure for Common School purposes over estimate and that said amount be embodied in By Law No. 164 already read a first time

Carried unanimously

Moved by the Dy Reeve seconded by Com. Johnstone that By Law no. 164 for the payments of a/cs for the current year be read a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor notwithstanding any rule or ordinance to the

Contrary

Carried unanimously

Said By Law was accordingly read a second and third time passed and signed by the Mayor

The Council then dissolved

James Dingwall
Town Clerk

Council Room
January 19th 1874

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